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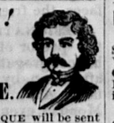
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About one pint of Rum in a decanter,
About one pint of Ale in a pitcher,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Ann Hanley, in said Woburn, on the twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear at my office, in said Woburn, at two o'clock, P. M., on the thirteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Ann Hanley, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.
P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.
A true copy. Attest:
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L. S. TO THOMAS FARLEY, of Wilmington, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About three gallons of Rum in a keg,
About six quarts of Rum in a jug,
About one quart of Whiskey in a jug,
About one gill of Rum in a tin measure,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Thomas Farley, in said Wilmington, on the twenty-fourth day of September, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear at my office, in Woburn, in said County of Middlesex, at two o'clock, P. M., on the thirteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors, and the vessels containing them, should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Thomas Farley, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand, at Woburn, in said County, this twenty-fifth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.
P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.
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L. S. TO MARGARET WELSH, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About twelve gallons of Whiskey in a keg,
About one-half pint of Whiskey in two tin measures,
About two quarts of Whiskey in a jug,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Margaret Welsh, in said Woburn, on the twenty-fourth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, in my opinion, exceeds twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before the Justices of the Superior Court next to be holden at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Monday of October next, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and vessels should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Margaret Welsh, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this twenty-fifth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.
P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.
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NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Charles S. Buck, late of Winchester, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
MARTHA J. BUCK, Executrix.
Winchester, September 27th, 1866.—3t

UNCLE INGOT.

"If ever you or yours get five pounds out of me, madam, before I die, I promise you, you shall have five thousand, and I am a man of my word." So spoke Mr. Ingot Beardmore, drysalter and common-councilman of the city of London, to Dorothea Elizabeth, his widowed sister-in-law, who had applied to him for pecuniary succor, about three months after the death of his younger brother Isaac, her husband. There was harshness and stubborn determination enough in his reply, but there was no niggard cruelty. Mrs. Isaac wanted money, it is true, but only in the sense we all want it. She was only poor in comparison with the great wealth of this relative by marriage. Her income was large enough for any ordinary—Mr. Ingot said "legitimate—purpose, but not sufficient for sending her boy to Eaton, and finishing him off at the universities, as it was the maternal wish to do. Mr. Ingot hated such genteel intentions; Christ's Hospital had been a fashionable enough school for him, and he had "finished off" as a clerk at forty pounds a year in that very respectable house of which he was now the senior partner. With the results of that education, as exemplified in himself, he was perfectly satisfied, and if his nephews only turned out half as well, their mother, he thought, might think herself uncommonly lucky. Her family had given themselves airs upon the occasion of her marrying Isaac,—"allaying herself with commerce," some of them called it,—and Ingot had never forgiven them. He gloried in his own profession, although government had never seen fit to ennoble any member of it, and perhaps all the more on that account; for he was one of those radicals who are not "snobs" at heart, but rather aristocrats. He honestly believed that noblemen and gentlemen were the lower orders, and those who toiled and strove, the upper crust of the human pie. When he was told that the former classes often toiled and strove in their own way as much as the others, he made a gesture of contempt, and "blew" like an exasperated whale. It was a vulgar sort of retort, of course, but so eminently expressive that his opponent rarely pursued the subject.

He rather liked his sister-in-law, in spite of her good birth, and would have, doubtless, largely assisted her had she consented to bring up her children according to his views, but she prefering to take her own way, he withdrew himself more and more from her society, until they saw nothing at all of one another. He had no intention of leaving his money away from his brother's children; he had much too strong a sense of duty for that; and as for marriage, that was an idea that never entered his hard old head. He had not made a fool of himself by falling in love in middle age, as Isaac had done (in youth he had no time for such follies), and it was not likely that at sixty-five he could commit any such imprudence. So his nephew and nieces felt confident of being provided for in the future. In the present, however, as time went on, and the education of both boys and girls grew more expensive, Mrs. Isaac's income became greatly straitened. Her own family very much applauded the expensive way in which she was bringing up her children, and especially her independence of spirit with relation to her tradesman brother-in-law, but they never assisted her with a penny. The young gentleman at Cambridge was therefore kept upon very short allowance; and the young ladies, whose beauty was something remarkable, affected white muslin, and wore no meretricious jewelry. Their pin-money was very limited, poor things, and they made their own clothes at home by the help of a sewing machine. If Uncle Ingot could have seen them thus diligently employed his heart would perhaps have softened towards them, but as I have said they now never got that chance. Julia, the elder had been but six years old when he had last called at their highly rented but diminutive habitation in Mayfair, and now she was eighteen, and had never seen him since. Although she had of course grown out of the old man's recollection, she remembered his figure-head, as she wickedly called his rigid features, uncommonly well; and, indeed, nobody who had ever seen it was likely to forget it. His countenance was not so much human as ligneous; and his profile, Nephew Jack had actually seen upon a certain nobbly tree in the lime-walk of Clare Hall at Cambridge, much more like than any silhouette ever cut out of black paper. They had laughed at the old gentleman in early days, and snapped their fingers at his churlishness, but it had become no laughing matter now.

That remark of Uncle Ingot's, "If ever you or yours get five pounds out of me, madam, before I die, I promise you, you shall have five thousand; and I am a man of my word," had become a very serious sentence, condemning all the family, to, if not Poverty, at least very urgent Want. What it meant of course, was, that he was resolutely determined to give them nothing. In vain the young ladies worked for Uncle Ingot slippers and bookmarkers for his birth-day, and sent to him their best wishes at Christmas in Rimmel's highly scented envelopes; in vain Jack sent him a pound of the most excellent snuff that *Bacon's* emporium could furnish, at the beginning of every term. He always worte back a civil letter of thanks, in a clear and clerkly letter, but there was never any enclosure. When Mrs. Isaac asked him to dinner he declined in a caustic manner,—avowing that he did not feel himself comfortable at the aristocratic tables of the West End,—and sent him a pine-apple for the dessert, of his own growling. He had really no ill-feeling towards his relatives, although he kept himself so aloof from them; but I think this sort of conduct tickled the old gentleman's grim sense of humor. If he could have found some legitimate excuse for "making up" with his sister-in-law, within the first year or two of their falling out, perhaps he would have been glad to do so; but time had now so widened the breach, that it was not to be easily repaired. What he had satirically written when he declined her invitation had grown to be true; he rarely went into society and almost never into the company of ladies, the elder portion of whom he considered frivolous and vexatious, and the younger positively dangerous. He had a few old bachelor friends, however, with whom he kept up a cordial intercourse, and spent with them various festivals of the year as regularly as they come round.

On the 31st of December, for instance, he never omitted to go down to Reading, and "see the old year out and the new year in," in the company of Tom Whaffles, with whom he had worn the yellow stockings in those school-days that had passed away more than half a century ago. Tom and Isaac had been even greater cronies as boys than Tom and Ingot, but the latter did not like Tom the less upon that account; secretly, I think he esteemed him the more highly as a link between himself and that luckless family whose very existence he yet chose to ignore. Mr. Whaffles had intimate relations with them still; they come down to stay with him whenever his sister paid him a visit, and could act as their hostess; but this never happened in the last week of the year. Tom was never to speak of them to his old friend, —that was not only tacitly understood, but had even been laid down in writing, as the basis of their intimacy.

On the 31st December last, Mr. Ingot Beardmore found himself, as usual, at the Paddington Station, looking for an empty compartment, for his own company had got to be very pleasing to him. Having attained his object, and rolled himself up in the corner of the carriage in several greatcoats, with his feet upon a hot tin, and his hands clothed in thick mittens, and looking altogether like a polar bear who liked to make himself comfortable,—when everything was arranged, I say, to the old gentleman's complete satisfaction, who should invade his privacy, just as the train was about to start, and the whistle had sounded, but one of the most bewitching young ladies you ever set eyes on!

"Madam, this carriage is engaged," growled he, pointing to the umbrella, carpet-bag, and books, which he had distributed upon all the seats, in order to give it that appearance.

"Only engaged to *you*, I think, sir," replied the charmer flippantly. "Happy carriage! I wish *I* was. Isn't that pretty?"

Mr. Beardmore had never had anything half so shocking said to him in all his life, and if the train had not been already set in motion, he would have called upon the guard for help and left the carriage forthwith. As it was, he could only look at this shameless young person with an expression of the severest reprobation. At the same time, his heart sank within him at the reflection, that the train was not to stop till he reached his destination, — Reading. What indignities might he not have to suffer before he could obtain protection! She was a modest looking young lady, too, very simply dressed, and her voice was particularly sweet and prepossessing, notwithstanding the very dreadful remarks in which she had indulged. Perhaps she was out of her mind, and at this idea, Mr. Ingot Beardmore broke out, notwithstanding the low temperature, into a very profuse prespiration.

"Now, what will you give me for a kiss, you—you old polar bear?" asked the fair stranger playfully as the train flew by Ealing. "Nothing, madam, nothing; I am astonished at you," answered Mr. Beardmore, looking anxiously round the carriage in the desperate hope of finding one of those newly patented inventions for affording communication with the guard.

"Well, then, I'll take one, and leave it to your honor," continued the young lady with a peal of silver laughter; and with that she lightly rose, and before the old gentleman could free himself from his wraps, or ward her off with his muffetees, she had imprinted a kiss upon his horny cheek. Mr. Beardmore's breath was so utterly taken away by this assault, that he remained speechless, but his conscience was probably more full of expression than it had ever been in his life. "O no, I am not mad," laughed she in reply to it; "although I have taken a fancy to such a wonderful old creature. Now, come, If I kiss you again, what will you give me?"

"I shall give you in charge of the police, madam, the instant that we arrive at Reading."

"Give me in charge! What for, you curious piece of antiquity?"

"For an assault, madam; yes, for an assault. Don't you know that you have no right to kiss people without their consent in this manner?"

Here the young lady laughed so violently that tears came into her eyes.

"Do you suppose, you poor old doting creature, that any body will believe such a story as that? Do you ever use such a thing as a looking glass, you poor dear? Are you aware how very unprepossessing your appearance is, even when you don't frown, as you are doing now, in a manner that is enough to frighten one? You have, of course, a perfect right to your own opinion, but if you suppose the police will agree with you, you will find yourself much mistaken. The idea of any body wanting to kiss *you* will reasonably enough appear to them preposterous."

"What is it you require of me, you wicked creature?" cried the old bachelor in an agony of shame and rage.

"I want payment for my kiss. To a gentleman at your time of life, who scarcely could expect to be so favored, surely it is worth—what shall I say? five pounds. What! not so much? Well then, here's another for your other cheek." Like a flash of lightning, she suited the action to her words. "There, then, five pounds for the two, and I won't take a shilling less. You will have to give it to the poor's box at the police station, if not to me. For I intend, in case you are obstinate, to complain of *your* disgraceful conduct to the guard at the first opportunity. I shall give you into custody, sir, as sure as you are alive. You will be put upon your oath, you know, and all you will dare to say will be that *I* kissed you, and not you *me*. What "roars of laughter" there will be in court, and how funny it will all look in the papers!" Here the young lady began to laugh again, as though she had already read it there. Mr. Beardmore's grim sense of humor was as usual, accompanied by a keen dislike of appearing ridiculous. True he hated to be imposed upon; still of the two evils, was it not better to pay five pounds, than to be made the laughing stock of his bachelor friends, who are not the sort of people to commisserate one in a misfortune of this kind?

In short, Mr. Ingot Beardmore paid the money. Mr. Thomas Whaffles found his guest that evening anything but talkative. There was a select party of the male sex invited to meet him, by whom the rich old drysalter was accustomed to be regarded as an oracle; but upon this occasion he had nothing to say; the consciousness of having been "done" oppressed him. His lips were tightly sealed; his checks were still glowing from the audacious insult that had been put upon them; his fingers clutched the pocket-book in which there was a five-pound note less than there ought to be. But when his host and himself were left alone that night, "seeing the old year out, and the new year in," his heart began to thaw under the genial influence of friendship and gin-punch, and he told his late adventure to Tom Whaffles, not without some enjoyment of his own mischance.

"I could really almost forgive the jade," said he, "for having taken me in so cleverly. I dare say, however, she makes quite a profession of it; and that half a score of old gentlemen have been coerced before now into ransoming their good name as I did. And yet she was as modest and lady-like looking girl as ever you saw."

"Was she anything like *this*?" inquired Mr. Whaffles, producing a photograph.

"Why, that's the very girl!" exclaimed the guest. "Ha, ha! Tom; so *you* too, have been one of her victims, have you? Well, now, this is most extraordinary."

"Not at all, my dear fellow. I know her very well; and her sister, and her mother, and her brother too. I can introduce you to her if you like. There's not the least harm in her; bless you, she only kissed you for a bit of fun."

"A bit of fun!" cried Mr. Beardmore, "Why, she got a five-pound note out of me!"

"But she does not mean to keep it, I am very sure. Would you like to see her again? Come, 'Yes' or 'No'?"

"If she will give me back my money, 'Yes.'"

"Very well," returned the host; "mind, you asked for her yourself;" and he rang the bell pretty sharply twice.

"Here she is: it's your neice, Miss Julia. Her mother and her sister are now staying under this very roof."

"Yes, uncle," said the young lady demurely, "Here is your five-pound note: please to give me that five thousand which you promised mamma *if ever she or hers got five pounds out of you; for you are a man of your word*, I know. But what would be better still, would be, to let me kiss you once more, in the character of your dutiful neice; and let us all love you as we want to do. It was an audacious stratagem, I admit, but I think you will forgive me,—come."

"There go the church-bells?" cried Tom Whaffles, "It is the new year, and a fitting time to forget old enemies. Give your uncle a kiss, child."

Uncle Ingot made no resistance this time, but avowed himself fairly conquered; and between ourselves, although he made no "favorites" among his newly reconciled relatives, but treated them with equal kindness, I think he always liked Niece Julia best, who had been the cause of healing a quarrel which no one perhaps regretted more at heart than Uncle Ingot himself.—*Chamber's Journal.*

THE LIFE OF THE MOSQUITO.—The reader has probably many a time this summer exercised a little strategy with the mosquito, and when it is fairly settled, made a dexterous flank movement, and come down with a slap, and exclaimed, "I got him that time." You were all wrong; you did not get *him* at all, but you probably succeeded in crushing *her*. One of the Turkish Sultans believed that a female was at the bottom of all mischief and when any disturbance took place in his dominions his first question was "who was she?" "The old brute," you will say; well, he was a brute, and the only excuse we can make for him is to suppose that, having a taste for entomology, he had been studying mosquitoes, and finding that the females alone did the mischief, applied his knowledge to human affairs.

Did it ever occur to you, when by a well-directed slap you demolish a mosquito, that you destroy a very beautiful, and in spite of its blood-thirsty propensities, interesting object? The male is readily distinguished by his plumes. He has the negative quality of not annoying us, lives but a short time, and what little food he requires he gets from flowers. The female is armed with a formidable probocis. To understand her history, we must go back to the eggs. The female lays her eggs upon the water; finding a suitable place, she supports herself by her two pair of forelegs, and crossing the hinder pair like a letter X, she deposits the eggs, one after another, in this support made by the legs, putting them endwise, side by side, and sticking them firmly together by means of a glutinous secretion which covers them. When the mass is complete, it is in the shape of a little boat, consisting of from one hundred and fifty to three hundred and fifty eggs, which is set afloat and abandoned to its fate. The little raft floats persistently; it will not sink, nor will hard usage break it up, nor freezing destroy the vitality of the eggs. In a few days the larvæ, as the first stage of the insects is called, are hatched, make their way out of the under side of the egg, and go off in search of food. They may be seen in any vessel of rain water that has been exposed for some days during summer; from their peculiar manner of locomotion they are called "wigglers." Near the tail is a tube of hairs through which the wiggler breathes. When not disturbed it rest with its head downward, and with this tube at the surface of the water, but on approach of danger it rapidly wiggles itself to the bottom of the vessel. After wiggling through eight to fifteen of the first days of its existence, and casting its skin two or three times, the mosquito goes into the pupa state. In this condition it swims with its head upward, and, though not so lively as before, it moves and tumbles about by means of some paddles at the end of its tail. While in the pupa state it takes no food, and its breathing arrangements are quite reversed, for, instead of respiring through the tube at the end of its tail, it is furnished with two tubes at the head, through which it takes in air. This state of things lasts from five to ten days, when the skin bursts and the perfect insect comes forth.

This is a most critical period in the life of these insects, and they only can emerge with safety on a very still, sunny day. The skin of the pupa bursts open on the back, and the insect first protrudes its head, then its chest gradually follows, and it stands erect in the shell with its legs still confined, and its wings limp and damp. The slightest breeze at this time would upset the frail boat, and the insect would be drowned. But a very small proportion of the whole succeed in passing this last transformation in safety. Soon the front pair of legs are extricated, and placed upon the water. This enables the insect to steady itself, and much diminishes the danger of upsetting. The sun speedily dries the wings, which are gradually expanded; then the other legs are drawn out and placed on the edge of the pupa case, the antennæ and proboscis are elevated, and the insect is able to quit its watery abode and fly off to serenade us with its shrill note, and to relieve us of our surplus blood.

Naturalists are not agreed as to the manner in which the mosquito produces its peculiar and annoying sound; it is thought by some that the wings alone do not cause it, but that they are aided by the rapid vibration of the muscels of the chest. It is said that the wings vibrate

fifty times in a second. If the cause of the song of the mosquito is not well understood, such is not the case with the other annoying peculiarity—its sting. Here the object is so small that the microscope must be called to our aid. When examined by the glass, the sting of the mosquito is found to be a very beautiful as well as complex instrument. The wonderful fineness of its points is seen in the ease with which they penetrate our tough skin. The sting itself would cause us but little annoyance, were it not that the proboscis gives off an irritating secretion which inflames the slight wound, and in some persons becomes a painful swelling, and even troublesome ulcers. This is intended to give an idea of the structure and habits of mosquitoes in general, and not of any particular species. Our mosquitoes belong to the genera *Megarhinus* and *Culex*, but they do not seem to have been thoroughly studied, and there is much confusion among naturalists concerning them. It is somewhat consoling to know that but a small proportion of the wigglers ever reach the perfect state. Myriads are lost in the process of liberating themselves from the pupa state. The stillness of the air, or otherwise, at this particular season in the life of the mosquitoe, explains why the insects are so much more abundant in some years than in others. Great numbers are devoured by Dragon-flies, which at the South are called "mosquito-hawks." We have seen mosquitoes so plenty near New Orleans, as to darken the wall of a building upon which they were resting during the day time, while great numbers of these mosquito-hawks were flitting about and devouring them by thousands.—*American Agriculturist.*

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WOMAN.

We are not surprised at the interest manifested in Mr. Fay's lectures on "Woman," for apart from the ability in which the subject is treated, the theme is varied, rich and inexhaustible. Without going to the extreme of difference maintained by some respecting the sexes,—the Swedenborgians, for instance, who declare the extreme deversity in their theory, or that a union of the two alone makes a perfect man, and draw entirely different profiles of their mental characteristics,—without running as far as this, we may note many strong points of dissimilarity. It is manifest in children before the restraints and teachings of society effect their changes. We sometimes meet with boys and men who have all the delicacy and shyness of girls and women, and again we encounter in what we term the softer sex, rudeness and boldness; but still, perhaps, even in the extremest cases, the characteristic differences manifest themselves.

The elevation of woman in Christian lands, and the great attention paid to her education, in the highest intellectual studies as well as those more particularly assigned to her, have given to the world ideas of woman's rank and capabilities which were to the heathen world unknown. The age of chivalry has passed, but woman has now more general and true respect than ever.

The Anna Dickerson's and female mesmeric lecturers of the day, so far from elevating themselves or lifting up their sex, only acquire a tinsel notoriety, and occupy a very subordinate position in society, certainly among men, and entirely so among females of the highest respectability and clear discernment. Neither do those ladies who aim to distinguish themselves by expensive and gaudy attire, and frequent display of their charms before the public, advance the estimation of woman. The female writers, who have put forth works of creative genius, have not only raised the sex in their own person, but by the graphic portraiture of others, the exhibition of their moral excellence, their deportment and conduct under trying circumstance, have brought to general notority, characters, which are real, although depicted in works of fiction. A man cannot do full justice to the whole of woman, for it needs the heart of one of that sex to probe to the bottom character, and to understand what is going on in the soul, and how the treatment of man to woman affects the latter. Shakspeare stands almost alone in beautiful and truthful delineations of woman among masculine writers, but, even he could only partially unfold, in comparison with what a woman of genius, who has herself felt and known, could write of the sex.

And woman is waking up to an earnest estimate of herself, and to the exercise of great power in the world. It will not do in the future, for men, even in politics, to disregard the sentiments of humanity and justice, in the course they pursue, and expect the silence of the sex. They will make their influence felt, not by being admitted to vote and hold caucuses, and make speeches, but by highly elevated conduct; and by indignantly frowning on corrupt conduct, and by their careful training of the young. We hope that women will never become familiar with the corruptions and arts of too much of the political partisanship of our country, but we hope, also, that they may not be the dupes of political knaves.

But woman's worth at home man is more particularly concerned to known; that he may wisely select a partner; that he may treat the females of his household —mother, wife, sister, daughter,—with the consideration they deserve. When a death occurs, and we follow to the last resting place, her, who has held one of the interesting and near relations which the other sex holds to man, how rises up to memory, the life-long love and care of a mother; the faithfulness and devotion of a wife; the soft regards and deference of a sister, and the delicate love and implicit obedience of a daughter. Who does not feel, at such a time, that no pen has done full justice to woman, and no voice thrilled too tenderly in proclaiming her desert. By the side of the couch of the sick and suffering and the dying, who, like woman, can assuage anguish, soothe sorrow, and soften the agony of death, with its attendant separations, and point upward to an eternal state through faith in that Redeemer, who, on his cross, exclaimed, "Woman, behold thy son," and to the disciple, "Behold thy mother."

SIXTH COUNSELLOR DISTRICT REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The republican delegates of the sixth counsellor district met at the City Hall, in Charlestown, Tuesday forenoon. Hon. Francis Brinley, of Tyngsborough, was chosen president of the convention, and Marcellus Day, of Charlestown, secretary. The committee on credentials reported 25 towns represented by 145 delegates.

On motion of Hon. James M. Usher, of Medford, the convention renominated Hon. Thomas Talbot, of Billerica, as a candidate for counsellor, by acclamation.

The following gentlemen were elected as the district committee:—William B. Long of Charlestown; F. H. Nourse of Lowell; F. A. Coolidge of Marlborough; Shattuck Hartwell of Littleton; E. N. Blake of Woburn.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.—The republicans of Middlesex County met in convention in the Charlestown City Hall, Tuesday forenoon, to nominate candidates for county commissioner and clerk of courts. Hon. James M. Stone of Charlestown, was chosen president of the convention, and Z. E. Stone of Lowell, was chosen secretary. The committee on credentials reported that thirty-five towns and cities were represented by two hundred and ten delegates.

On motion of Mr. Marshall of Lowell, Benjamin F. Ham of Winchester, was unanimously renominated by acclamation as candidate for clerk of the courts.

Mr. Boswell of South Reading, moved that Leonard Huntresss of Tewksbury, be renominated by acclamation for county commissioner. Mr. Appleton of Reading, objected to this method, and the convention proceeded to ballot, with the following result:—

Whole number of ballots	143
Necessary for a choice	72
Leonard Huntress of Tewksbury, had	134
G. W. Coburn of Dracut,	5
Scattering,	4

The following gentlemen were chosen as county committee:—

Geo. L. Sawin of Natick, E. W. Fisk, of Waltham, Moses T. Gardner of Shirley, J. B. Moore of Concord, H. H. Wilder of Lowell, T. C. Hurd of Framingham, C. R. Morse of Charlestown, R. R. Wade of Cambridge, Joseph G. Pollard of Woburn, James Peirce of Malden, A. H. Bailey of Somerville, E. B. Haskell of Charlestown, P. Stacy of Newton, P. R. Littlefield of Medford, C. M. Howe of Marlborough, Charles W. Rugg of Lowell, and J. G. Holt of Cambridge.

The convention was then dissolved.

The Democrats of Massachusetts met in Convention, in Boston, on Wednesday, and nominated the following state ticket:

For Governor—Theodore H. Sweetser, of Lowell.

For Lieutenant-Governor—Brig.-Gen. Horace C. Lee, of Springfield.

For Secretary of the Commonwealth—Col. Luther Stephenson, Jr., of Hingham.

For Attorney-General — William C. Endicott, of Salem.

For Treasurer of the Commonwealth—Harvey Arnold, of Adams.

For State Auditor—Maj.-Gen. Arthur F. Devereaux, of Roxbury.

CENTRAL HOUSE, WOBURN. — This hotel, so long and favorably known to travellers, under the popular management of L. B. Norris, Esq., has been leased by Mr. Frank Wetherby, formerly of the Central House, Haverhill. We learn that Mr. W., who has had much experience in the business, will spare no effort to render the "Central" a first class house in every respect. We wish him abundant success.

Travelers Insurance Company of Hartford.—This company is doing a world of good in providing for those who from accident become disabled. B. T. H. Porter is agent for Woburn. See locals.

E. F. CUSHMAN, Nos. 91, 92 and 94, Tremont street, Boston, having fitted new rooms over his retail store, offers a magnificent assortment of trimmed and made up Hats and Bonnets, for ladies, misses and children. This addition to his already extensive establishment, makes his one of the best places in Boston, for the purchase of dry goods and millinery of every description.

The cholera has reappeared at Marseilles, Nice, Genoa and Naples.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

WOBURN, September, 1866.

After leaving Greylock, our route lay in the direction of Northampton, toward which town we turned our steps, and in little less than half a day reached the Hoosac mountains. This range forms one continuous elevated ridge, and is the water-shed which divides the valley of the Connecticut river from that of the Housatonic.

For the following two days nothing of particular interest occurred, and at the end of that time we arrived at Northampton. The principal objects of interest in the town are the Round Hill water cure establishment, the Florence sewing machine manufactory, and the Insane Asylum, all of which are probably too well known to need any lengthy description here. Outside of the town the mountains Tom and Holyoke, are the two great objects of interest. From here my companion took the cars for Boston, not wishing to go up the mountains, (having been there before), while I being more at leisure, resolved to see all that was to be seen in that vicinity. Accordingly that afternoon I started for Mount Tom, which is situated three miles south of the town. The ascent is made by a carriage road, extending from the base to within a few rods of the summit; being a mile in length. Mount Nonotuck is the name given to the north east peak, and is the one up which the carriage road extends, and to which the ascent is usually made. A small hotel is situated on the summit, called the Eyrie House, and the visitor is charged twenty-five cents for the privilege of standing on the piazza and obtaining a view of the surrounding country, which is rivalled, if not actually excelled by one which can be obtained from the summit of Horn Pond mountain. I returned to Northampton that evening.

The next morning I left Northampton, crossed the river, and proceeded toward Mount Holyoke. This mountain is composed of twelve or fifteen peaks, and seen from the west resembles a huge saw. Upon one of the central peaks is situated the Prospect House. A flight of wooden stairs extends from the base to the top, as the road of the mountain is at this point so steep that the ascent could not well be made otherwise; but for those who desire an easier method, a double railroad track is built along by the side of the stairs, and the visitor is raised or lowered, by means of a stationary engine at the top. The view which is here obtained cannot be surpassed by any in New England, and probably not by any in America. The Connecticut river bordered with its broad interval lands, runs directly along the western base, and enters the narrow valley between Mount Holyoke and Tom, while farther to the west rises the Hoosac mountains, just behind the town of Northampton. From the summit over thirty-eight towns can be seen; also mountains in four States, the whole forming a scene of unsurpassed beauty, which well repays the trouble and expense of the journey. And when we consider that the charges made at the hotel, do not average so high as those of the surrounding country, and that every thing has to be pulled up by steam over a precipice six hundred feet high, it certainly is worthy of patronage.

After stoping a while on the summit I went down the mountain, and started for Amherst, which I reached that evening shortly after dark. The next morning I visited the college buildings. The principal attraction here is the museum, which is situated in two buildings known as the Woods' and Appleton Cabinets, and contains a large number of geological, zoological and botanical specimens, beside a large collection of fossil footmarks, a collection of Indian utensils, and a number of ancient sculptures from Ninevah. At every turn some new and marvelous beauty meets the eye of the visitor, until on leaving you try in vain to recollect what particular object is most worthy of notice.

From Amherst travelling eastward in the direction of Barre, the road is quite hilly, until on reaching the latter town, the hills begin to grow smaller, and finally disappear. In the town of Oakham, and immediately on the edge of Barre, is a collection of mineral springs, seven in number, which are extensively visited, as are all other springs of a like character, by fashionable invalids. From the springs to Princeton is a pleasant walk of twelve miles. Here is situated Mount Wachusett. The town of Princeton is of no importance whatever, and would never be noticed but for the mountain within its limits. The base of the mountain is three miles from the centre of the town; from here to the summit a good carriage road formerly existed, but at present it is only accessible to pedestrians. The view from the top enables the observer to obtain a better knowledge of the general appearance of the State than any other which can be obtained; every ridge of land from the Connecticut to the coast, can be seen with an astonishing distinctness. One of the principal features of the view is the tall peak of Monadnock rising directly to the north. The ascent is not at all difficult, and can be easily made in less than half an hour.

This is the last noteworthy object seen on the road to Woburn, a distance of forty-five miles, from the town of Princeton. It was not long after leaving Wachusett, that I arrived in Woburn, looking perhaps a little the worse for wear, but feeling greatly benefited by an increased knowledge of men and things, gathered during a three months' tramp through the country, on foot.

S. D. P.

THE ORIENTAL STOVE.

This stove was awarded the first premium by the New York State Agricultural Society; also a silver medal by the American Institute at New York. It is a perpetual burner, requires feeding but once a day, and cannot fail to meet with public favor. Read the following flattering testimonial in its favor:—

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Aug. 18, '66.

S. D. STRAUB, Esq.,—Dear Sir:—As you know, I made the first trial of the "Oriental" in Hagerstown. As the result of the trial, I use no other. I had two in use during last winter, and, in addition to the perfect satisfaction found in its great cleanliness, its uniformity of heat, the great ease with which it can be managed, and its cheerfulness, I believe there is great economy in its consumption of fuel. I would have no other for my use; it perfectly fulfills all demands, and, I believe, it is in every respect superior to every other stove now in use.

Respectfully yours,
ALBERT SMALL.

SILVERINE.—We would call attention to this new and valuable article, for the benefit of our readers, as we have tested it and find it to be all the manufacturer claims for it. It really works wonders with all articles of brass, copper, bronze, &c., giving them instantly a coating of pure bright silver which can be made permanent by an occasional application. It is also the best cleaner of silver and silver plated ware we have ever seen, giving the beautiful lustre found on new ware. It is a great saver of time and labor, and we think after one trial no housekeeper will be without it. We know by experience, and have the testimony of scientific men and prominent chemists, among them, Profs. Thurber and Meyer, and Orange Judd, Ed. *Agriculturist*, that it contains no ingredients injurious to metals or the hands. Believing it to be one of the most useful inventions of modern times, we recommend it to our friends.—*N. Y. Farmer.*

BOSTON DIVIDENDS.—Including banks the total amount of October dividends in Boston is over $3,300,000. Of forty-five banks twenty-four divide 5 per cent., eight 6 per cent., eight 4 per cent., and one each of 7 1-2, 7, 4 1-2, 3 1-2, and 3 per cent., averaging a fraction over 5 per cent.

OBITUARY.—"Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is above rubies. The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her. She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life. She looketh well to the ways of her household, and eateth not the bread of idleness. Her children arise up and call her blessed; her husband also, and he praiseth her."

Such was one who has but recently passed from your midst. Mrs. CELINDE THOMPSON was truly a virtuous woman; one whose life, quiet and unostentatious in the extreme, was yet an ornament to her sex, and worthy of imitation. None but those who have been brought into immediate contact with her, can form a just estimate of her character. She brought to the discharge of her duties, a well balanced mind, and by her daily walk, made it evident that she was a child of God. Hers is, we trust and believe, the reward of the righteous.

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The *Planters' Banner*, a paper well informed in regard to affairs in Louisiana, says the negroes are returning to the old plantations all over St. Mary's Parish, and that they have been flocking in for the whole past year. Once back in their former cabins, they acknowledge, after their weary pilgrimage among strangers, that there's no place like home. The kindly feelings of past years are fast returning.

THE OCTOBER ELECTIONS.

Next Tuesday, October 9th, elections occur in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Iowa, and besides the various State officers to be voted for, these States will choose at that time sixty members of Congress.

HOPE.—The Scripture saith, that "Hope is an anchor to the soul, both sure and steadfast." It is the unfortunate's only comfort in adversity, and the star of promise which urges forward the struggling poor man. What is it that gives contentment to that mother who sees her darling child attacked by the ghost of the deadly croup, or suffering from the effects of a consuming cough or violent cold. What is it that wreathes in smiles the lips of that patient consumptive who, though she knows she cannot live, yet murmurs her silent and thankful prayer for ease and relief. What is it that has become a nation's hope from North to South, from East to West, comes but one joyful response—Give us Coe's Cough Balsam.

Gen. Beauregard, of rebel fame, arrived at New York from France, last week.

Married

In Woburn, Sept. 22d, by Rev. Mr. Townley, Geo. Franklin Smith to Miss Anna Kimmick, both of W.
In Stoneham, Oct. 2d, by Rev. S. Byington, Anthony B. Sargent to Harriet Osgood, all of S.

Died

In Woburn, Oct. 2d, Mrs. Nancy Richardson, aged 76 years, 6 months.
In Woburn, Sept. 28th, James Layden, aged 37 years.
In Woburn, Sept. 30th, Eliza J. Rooney, aged 3 years, 4 months, 6 days.
In Reading, widow Betsy, relict of George Putnam, aged 81 years, 11 months, 25 days.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

FOR breach of condition, and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Nathaniel R. Maxwell to Samuel S. Richardson, dated the 21st day of September, A. D., 1855, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Registry of Deeds, lib. 723, fol. 314; will be sold at public auction on Monday, the 22d day of October instant, between the hours of two and three o'clock in the afternoon, the premises described in said mortgage deed, consisting of a one-and-a-half story cottage dwelling house, with land adjoining, well stocked with fruit trees.

The sale will be at the dwelling formerly occupied by Nathaniel R. and Wm. D. Maxwell, on the premises, in the easterly part of Winchester, County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

By order of the Mortgagee.
JOSIAH HOVEY, Auctioneer.
Winchester, Oct. 1, 1866.—octs—3t

WOBURN LOCALS.

OCTOBER.—"Yellow autumn" now dawns upon us. It is no longer divided from summer by the plumy sheaf and lingering flowers, but comes with features all its own, marked with slow decay. There is a rich hectic flush upon its cheek, too beautiful to last long, and every wind that blows pales the crimson hue, or scatters its beauty upon the empty air, for every where around us the leaves are falling. Beautiful as many of our poetical images are, drawn from the falling leaves, and saddening as the sight is to see them lying around our walks, the fall of the leaf does not betoken death, any more than one flower fading in a cluster is the death of the flower, as it only falls to revive and to make room for another blossom. A swelling bud will always be found in autumn above the leaf that is about to fall; and as this bud increases it pushes down its predecessor, and causes it to break off or to hang by so slight a hold that the first breath of wind carries away the loosened leaf. That swelling bud will form the stem or branch on which shall grow many leaves, in room of the one displaced. So when the piping of the autumn winds, sounding like an organ, through the forest of human life shall tear us from our loosening hold to mingle with the dust of earth, another bud shall fill our place, and go on to fulfill its mission in an enlarged sphere of usefulness. The early fall of the leaf is the surest sign of the health of the tree.

It is the general impression that the many-hued foliage of autumn is due to early frosts. Science says: "were it not for the fact that the trees absorb oxygen during the night, which, owing to the coldness of the weather they are unable to throw off, thus giving an ascidity to the juices of the tree, which changes the color of the leaf, they would fall in all their green summer array."

CAUCUSES.—The Republicans of Woburn met in the Town Hall, last Saturday evening, for the purpose of chosing delegates to the different political conventions. Mr. M. M. Tidd was chosen moderator, and John L. Parker acted as secretary. The following is a list of the delegates:

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION—Timothy Winn, Horace Conn, Wm. T. Grammer, E. F. Wyer, C. Tay, J. B. Winn, A. G. Carter, E. D. Hayden.
COUNTY AND COUNCILLOR—M. M. Tidd, S. O. Pollard, N. Wyman, J. G. Pollard, S. W. Abbott, E. N. Blake, S. A. Grammer, Q. R. Ward.
SENATORIAL—M. M. Tidd, Geo. Ingerson, A. B. Johnson, S. F. Thompson, J. L. Parker, Geo. A. Tidd, J. G. Pollard.

On Monday evening, of this week, in response to a call for a meeting of the friends of the present national administration to choose delegates to the National Union Convention, held at Faneuil Hall, Boston, on the 3d inst., a caucus was held in the Town Hall. Mr. A. E. Thompson called the meeting to order. Wm. M. Miller was chosen moderator, and Josiah Hovey secretary. A committee chosen for that purpose, nominated the following gentlemen as delegates to the State convention, and their report was adopted.

A. E. Thompson, Lincoln Emerson, J. P. Converse, Wm. M. Miller, R. Pickering, J. P. Crane, Josiah Hovey, T. J. Hayes, J. G. Cole, J. Cummings, Jr., Stephen Dow, A. Roundy, Charles Brealin, Stephen Nichols.

The following named gentlemen were chosen Town Committee for the ensuing year:

Stephen Dow, A. E. Thompson, Lincoln Emerson, Ambrose Bancroft, P. H. Claffy, Charles Carswell, Stephen Nichols, Wm. M. Miller, R. Pickering, John G. Cole.

On motion it was voted that the Town Committee be empowered to appoint delegates to the different subordinate conventions soon to be held.

The delegates to the State convention were instructed to also attend the convention called by the Democratic State Committee, to be held in Faneuil Hall, immediately after the adjournment of the Union convention.

PRIZES.—Among the prizes awarded at the Middlesex County Fair, at Concord, appear the names of the following gentlemen: John Cummings, Jr., of Woburn, $10, for best pair of matched horses; Joseph R. Kendall, $8, for second best show of vegetables (among the varieties shown by Mr. K. were some fine sweet potatoes); Mr. A. G. Sheldon, of Wilmington, $10, for third best pair of working oxen, and $20 for the best twenty varieties of apples.

PLAY-OUT.—The new steam fire engine was taken to North Woburn, Friday afternoon of last week, and exhibited for the benefit of the citizens of that locality. Pains were taken to have every thing in the best order, and it is the opinion of the Engineers that never before has she worked as well.

PERSONAL.—Last Sunday Mr. Wm. H. Clark returned to his place as organist at the first Congregational church, after a short vacation. His voluntaries, both morning and afternoon, were very fine efforts. Now he has returned it is hoped that a good choir will be immediately organized. There is among the congregation, most excellent material for a chorus choir, and if the parish committee would only engage a good leading soprano voice, one of the best choirs in town could be arranged at once. The good of the society demands such action on their part.

[Since the above was in type, we learn that to-morrow there will be singing by a choir, assisted by Miss Jennie M. Keyes, of Boston, leading soprano.]

TEMPERANCE CONVENTION. — The State Temperance Convention commenced its session in Tremont Temple, Boston, on Wednesday. Among other matters, an essay was read by Rev. Dr. Marvin, of Medford, which was received with marked favor. He said the time had come when the church should take hold of the matter of temperance in an earnest manner; for the shape the temperance movement has now assumed is such that no young or middle aged man can be a Christian, even in the opinion of the world at large, who is addicted to even the occasional use of liquor as a beverage, and total abstinence must be made one essental test in the matter of personal religion. He claimed that there should be a general total abstinence to prepare the way for the church.

CONVENTION.—A Republican convention, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for this (the 5th) senatorial district, will be held in the Town Hall, Woburn, on the 13th inst.

LECTURES. — Posters announce that Mr. F. Putnam will commence a course of ten lectures on Zoology, under the auspices of the Woburn Natural History Association, in the Unitarian vestry, on Tuesday evening next. The lecturer is an able speaker, and the lectures ought to be well patronized.

NEW VOLUME.—I notice that the *Journal* entered upon its sixteenth volume last week. May increasing years add to its usefulness and importance, and may it do much toward the forwarding and sustaining the interest of the town.

A HUMBUG.—For the benefit of the public we would say that the exhibition which was given in Lyceum Hall last Saturday evening, is a perfect humbug, being simply a fair sized magic lantern, such as is used for the amusement of children, and is unworthy of patronage.

—The clerk of the weather has changed his programme a little this week, and gave us starlight instead of a storm on Monday night.

RETRENCHMENT. — Readers of the *Journal* will bear in mind that the list of letters remaining in the post office beyond a certain time are no longer advertised, government feeling too poor to pay the nominal sum heretofore allowed,—one cent for each letter.

LIQUOR CASES.—The cases of Theodore Rogers, of Winchester; Ann Salmon, on Galilee street, in Woburn; Ann Hanley, Cummingsville; Margaret Welsh, Dublin street; John Roche, Bedford street, were tried before Trial Justice Converse, Thursday afternoon. The complaints were for keeping liquor nuisances. The first four waved examination, and were bound over in the sum of $400 each. Roche was defended by A. F. L. Norris, Esq., who filed a "special plea in bar," etc. Roche was held for trial in $400.

—The liquor seized at Pervear's saloon some time since, was destroyed on the common, last Thursday, by Deputy State Constable J. E. Tidd.

ACCIDENTS.—Last week Mr. James F. McFeeley, of North Woburn, was severely injured by the falling of a stick of timber upon one of his legs. Though no bones were broken, the cords and muscles were much bruised, and he will probably be confined to the house, for some time to come. Two days before the accident he was insured in the Travelers Insurance Co., against accident, and during his confinement will receive from the company $25 per week, compensation.

Wednesday morning Mr. Christopher Stowers was thrown from a wagon, at Mosely & Dunn's tannery, Winchester, and seriously injured. He was insured in the above company, and will receive $10 per week, compensation. Dr. S. Watson Drew, examining surgeon of the company in this section, attended the injured parties.

Wednesday afternoon, a young man in the employ of Mr. G. F. Jones, at the Central House stable, struck a manure fork into his foot just above the lower joint, causing a painful wound.

Thursday forenoon, as Mrs. Butters was alighting from a chaise opposite the old Methodist chapel, her foot caught, and she fell forward, breaking her right leg below the knee. Mrs. B. belongs in Fitchburg, and after the reducing of the fracture, she was conveyed to her home.

FIRST BALL.—The first dance of the season will come off at the Central House Hall, on Friday evening, 12th inst., under the auspices of the "Gen. Corcoran Circle" F. B., of Woburn. Bond's Band will furnish the music.

COLD.—Both Wednesday and Thursday nights the weather was cold enough to form quite a coating of ice on small bodies of water.

—Prof. Denier gave a tight rope performance, Thursday evening, on a rope stretched across Main street, at the Central House. Some of the feats performed were equal to Blondin's best.

LUKE R. BOUT.

The Woburn Natural History Association.—The committee appointed to prepare a plan for the re-organization of the Association, held a meeting at the house of Dr. S. W. Abbott, on Thursday evening, Sept. 27th, and decided to present, with slight modifications, the Constitution and By-Laws of the old society.

According to adjournment, the Association met on Tuesday evening, Oct. 2d. The report of the committee was presented and adopted. John Cummings, Jr., Esq., was chosen President, and J. F. Frisbie, Secretary, for the ensuing year.

After some discussion, it was decided to have the lectures on Zoology commence on Tuesday evening, Oct. 9th, at the vestry under the Unitarian church, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

There will be a course of ten lectures. The price of tickets will be one dollar; single admission, fifteen cents.

A considerable interest is being manifested in the success of the Association, and the lectures, by many who have heretofore taken no particular pains, in either studying, or attending lectures on the Natural Sciences.

The more one studies nature, the clearer the ideas of the sublime and the beautiful of all around us, the closer will that one feel drawn to his Creator; for no one can realize the greatness of God's works without inwardly, at least, pouring out his soul in thanksgiving and praise. One of the most distinguished men of the present time has said, and said truly, "there never was a true naturalist who was an immoral man." The study of the minutest flower, or the lofty trees of the primeval forests, can but inspire the deepest feelings of awe and reverence, and lead us step by step up to the Great Author.

As the mind takes in the vastness, the perfections and the beauteous in nature, the soul glows with an inward fire and yearns for a nearer companionship with the Infinite.

ATHOS.

WINCHESTER.

RE-UNION.—The hurried description given of the re-union of the past members of the High school, in Lyceum Hall, on Thursday evening of last week, was written before the exercises were over, and many things were omitted which should be mentioned. Let me re-state and add.

The hall was neatly decorated with the national colors, and ornamented with choice bouquets of flowers, which gave to it a fine appearance. A portrait of our martyred President looked down upon the scene from the front of one of the galleries. Mr. C. B. Stanton, the chairman of the committee of arrangements, was the presiding officer of the occasion, and discharged his duties in a very acceptable manner.

At 8 1-2 o'clock the Germania Band, who were stationed upon the platform, opened the evening's exercises, and the company then began to assemble in the hall to listen to the inspiring strains of their music. About 9 o'clock the assembly were called to order, and the chairman introduced Mr. Wm. A. Stone of Woburn, the first Principal of the school. He was followed by Dr. Chapin, one of the earliest friends of the school, and Charles Russell, Esq., of Medford, one of the graduates. Miss Isabella B. Tenney, a graduate of the school, read an excellent original composition, which briefly referred to some events in the past history of the school which the occasion suggested.

The chairman read an original poem, by Mr. Edward D. Chaloner, a graduate of the school, which in a pleasant manner, sketched the history of the school, its teachers, and gave some telling hits at certain persons and events in connection with the new school house. It was a capital performance and elicited hearty applause.

A letter was read from M. L. Morse, Esq., of Stoneham, a former teacher of the school, regretting his inability to be present.

About 10 1-2 o'clock the company were summoned to the lower hall, where a bountiful collation was spread by the ladies. Beautiful bouquets of flowers ornamented the tables, which, also presented a tempting variety of viands, to which ample justice was done. This part of the programme being completed, the company repaired again to the upper hall, when the young people felt that they could no longer restrain the desire to "trip the light fantastic toe," and accordingly many were soon whirling in the giddy waltz or moving to the more measured step of the graceful cotillion. This part of the performances was exceedingly pleasant to the young ladies and gentlemen, and served to relieve the monotony which generally pervades such assemblies. The dancing was kept up till an early hour of the next morning, when the company reluctantly separated, feeling assured that they had a very pleasant time.

The band and some others returned to the city by a special train. The idea of this re-union was a happy conception, and the committee spared no pains or expense to make it a success. The absence of Miss Dodge, the assistant Principal, who is confined to her home by sickness, was very much regretted by all the past members of the school, who feel indebted to her, in a great measure for the fidelity with which she taught them in days gone by. May her health be speedily restored, and many more of our children be privileged to be under her teachings. Mr. Thomas Emerson, of Woburn, who was for many years a Principal in the school, and whose departure was sincerely regretted, was present to greet his former pupils, and renew old associations. His modesty and that of the present Principal prevented them speaking on this occasion, although their ability to do so could not be questioned. No one could look upon this gathering of our fair sons and daughters, knowing the present position in life of these young people, without feeling assured that our high school has been eminently useful, and has more than repaid all the expense which it has cost. Some of the past members of the school have given their lives in the service of the country, others through the lingering process of disease. But none of the past members of the school, so far as known, have ever brought discredit upon it, but have on the contrary honored their Alma Mater, in the positions in life which they have or now fill.

Why do not the past graduates of this school form an association, which shall meet occasionly to see the old familiar faces, the friends of long ago?

RESIGNATION—Rev. Henry Hinckley, the pastor of the Baptist society, took his congregation by surprise last Sunday afternoon, by resigning his pastoral office. At a meeting of the society, on Monday evening last, it was voted, with only four dissenters, to request the withdrawal of the resignation, and to add one hundred dollars to the yearly salary, making it one thousand dollars per year. The decision of the pastor has not been made public.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTIONS.—The Middlesex Unitarian Sunday School Association, had a convention at Billerica, on Wednesday, and the Woburn Conference of Sabbath schools, had a Convention in Wilmington, on Thursday of this week. At each, the respective schools, in this town included, were well represented.

BUILDING.—Mr. Wm. C. Redfern is about to commence the erection of a dwelling house, upon the land recently purchased by him on Grove street, adjoining the Brooks estate.

ON THE WAVE.—Our respected townsmen, Captains Isaac Newton Knapp, and A. D. Cobb, sailed on Wednesday of this week, in command of their respective ships, the former for Australia, and the latter for Shanghaie, China. The best wishes of their numerous friends go with them on their long and perilous voyage, and a safe return to home and friends. No better representatives could we send forth to those distant ports, and we know that they will worthily represent our community, as well as those parties for whom they go forth.

EXCELSIOR.

Mrs. Field, at her store, Bank Block, is now opening a large and desirable assortment of millinery and fancy goods. Her prices are low, and no one need look beyond her store for choice goods and good bargains.

The accounts from the South in regard to the cotton crops, are sad and gloomy.

A CARD.

WOBURN, Oct. 2d, 1866.

INDEPENDENT HOSE COMPANY, NO. ONE, of Woburn, having disbanded, take this method of laying before the public the reasons for so doing.

We were guaranteed by the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, before the company was organized, that our remuneration should equal that of any other Fire Company in any town outside of Boston; which guarantee has not been fulfilled, the Town offering the munificent sum of $12.50 (twelve dollars fifty cents) a year per man, and requiring us to find our own lights and fuel for the hall. We consider the whole matter as a one horse affair, and as we do not choose to be bamboozled by individuals equally interested in matters pertaining to the interest and good of the Town, have disbanded.

The sum of fourteen dollars ($14.00) was given the Company by some of the citizens of the Town, for the purpose of new papering and renovating the hall. The greater part of said money has been expended for said purpose, and receipted for, and the balance remaining has been handed in to the Chief Engineer, to be paid to the town.

PER ORDER OF THE COMPANY.

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House and Land For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to

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{ L. S. } TO OWEN CALLAHAN, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any all other persons claiming any interest in

About three gallons of Gin in a jug.

About one half pint of Gin in a bottle,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Owen Callahan, in said Woburn, on the third day of October, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear at my office, in said Woburn, at two o'clock, P. M., on the twenty-seventh day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Owen Callahan, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand, at Woburn, in said County, this third day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.

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QUARTERLY REPORT of the condition of THE NATIONAL BANK OF SOUTH READING, in South Reading, in the State of Massachusetts, on the morning of the first Monday of October, 1866:

	DR.
Notes and Bills discounted	$94,057 95
Due from National Banks	17,924 42
U. S. Bonds, deposited with U. S. Treasurer, to secure Circulating Notes	100,300 00
Cash on hand in Circulating Notes of other National Banks	865 00
Specie, and other Lawful Money	14,154 48
	$227,301 85
	CR.
Capital Stock paid in	$100,000 00
Surplus Fund	12,096 80
Circulating Notes rec'd from Comptroller	85,255 00
Individual Deposits	20,917 05
Dividends unpaid	5,276 00
State Bank Circulation, *Outstanding*	3,757 00
	$227,301 85

L. EATON, Cashier.

QUARTERLY Report of the condition of the First National Bank of Woburn, of the State of Massachusetts, on the morning of the first Monday of October, 1866:

	DR.
Notes and bills discounted	$134,757 14
Banking house	16,320 40
Current Expenses	1,552 80
Taxes Paid	1,814 38
	3,367 18
[The above two items have been debted to Profit and Loss account.]	
Premiums	8,148 26
Remittances and other Cash Items	7,790 64
Due from the following National Banks:	
Shoe and Leather National Bank, Boston	25,374 42
National Bank Mutual Redemption, Stock	3,600 00
U. S. Bonds deposited with U. S. Treasurer to secure Circulating Notes	250,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand	95,000 00
Other U. S. Securities	28,750 00 123,750,00
Cash on hand in Circulating Notes of other National Banks	7,027 00
Specie	205 52
Legal Tender Notes	5,901 00
Compound Interest Notes	43,970 00 49,871 00
Total	$626,844 38
	CR.
Capital Stock paid in	$300,000 00
Surplus Fund	6,532 11
Circulating Notes rec'd from Comptroller	$200,000 00
Less am't on hand	107 00
Amount outstanding	199,893 00
Individual deposits	100,588 34
Dividends unpaid	180 00
State Bank Circulation outstanding	3,579 00
Profit and Loss	16,061 93
Total	$626,844 38

I, E. J. Jenks, Cashier of the First National Bank of Woburn, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. J. JENKS, Cashier.

ARTHUR W. HOBART,

General Agent for the

Niagara Insurance Co.,

OF NEW YORK CITY,

and the

Atlantic Insurance Company,

OF PROVIDENCE, R. I.,

PRESENTS an abstract of the Returns made to the Insurance Commissioners of Massachusetts, Nov. 1, 1865, in compliance with Act of June 3d, 1865.

RETURN OF NIAGARA,

(Fire and Inland), New York.

Amount of Capital actually paid in	$1,000,000 00
Number of shares	20,000
Par value of each share	$50 00
Amount of Fire Risks outstanding	22,397,400 00
" Marine Risks "	
Total amount of outstanding risks	22,397,400 00
Amount of U.S. Stocks & Treas. Notes	412,262 50
" State Stocks	8,760 00
" Bank Stocks (market value)	
" Real Estate (cash value)	44,000 00
" Cash on hand and in bank	23,779 08
" due from agents	48,136 91
" loaned on mort'ge of real est'e	268,200 00
" " collateral	349,000 00
" all other investm'ts and debts due the Company	26,853 17
Amount of premium notes on risks terminated	
Amount of borrowed money	
" losses claimed and unpaid	5,000 00
" reported, upon which the liability of the Co. is not determ'd	15,000 00
Amount of all other claims against the Company	1,662 61
Amount of cash received for premiums on fire risks	325,671 68
do. do. on marine risks	
do. of notes rec'd for premium on fire risks,	
do. marine r s,	
Amount cash rec'd for interest	74,381 98
" incomes from all other sources	107,889 87
" fire losses paid last year	195,602 12
" marine losses paid last year	
" dividends paid last year	108,829 50
" expenses of office	74,321 33
" other expenditures	32,004 94
" cash received for fire risks not terminated	209,193 31
" required to re-insure all outstanding risks	90,000 00
" premium notes on risks not terminated	
Highest rate of interest received	7 3-10 per ct.
" " " paid on money borrowed	
Balance to credit of profit & loss acct	88,751 26
Balance of surplus	54,732 40

RETURN OF ATLANTIC,

(Fire and Marine), Providence, R. I.

Amount of Capital actually paid in	$200,000 00
Number of shares	4000
Par value of each share	$50 00
Amount of Fire Risks outstanding	7,600,366 00
" Marine Risks outstanding	133,858 00
Total amount of outstanding risks	7,134,224 00
Amount of U.S. stocks & Treas. Notes,	20,400 00
" State Stocks	
" Bank Stocks (market value)	225,050 00
" Real Estate (cash value)	
" cash on hand and in bank	5,464 41
" due from agents	7,261 08
" loaned on mort'ge of real est.	
" on collateral	
Amount of all other invest'ts and debts due Company	6,633 00
Amount of premium notes on risks terminated	
Amount of borrowed money	5,000 00
" losses claimed and unpaid	7,068 06
" " reported, upon which the liability of the Co. is not determ'd	8,000 00
Amount of all other claims against the Company	1,762 00
Amount of cash received for premiums on fire risks	80,792 79
do. do. marine risks	7,605 48
Amount of notes received for premiums on fire risks	
do. do. marine risks	4,825 04
Amount cash rec'd for interest	1,529 46
" income from all other sources	20,666 50
" fire losses paid last year	57,859 40
" marine "	931 50
" dividends paid last year	21,836 00
" expenses of office	8,675 30
" other expenditures	14,561 21
" cash received for fire risks not terminated	60,954 57
Amount required to re-insure all outstanding risks	30,477 28
Amount of premium notes on risks not terminated	1,825 00
Highest rate of interest received	7 3-10 per ct.
" " " paid on money borrowed	
Balance to credit of profit & loss acct	64,809 39
Balance of surplus	12,502 05

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Applied to *Silver-Plated Table Ware, Fruit Dishes, Trays, Castors, Stair Rods, Harness Trimmings, Military Equipments, Door Knobs and Plates, Metalic Window and Show Case Frames, &c.*, whose plating is worn off, it gives them all the beauty of new ware, which will retain it the Silverine is applied as often as such articles are ordinarily cleaned.

Applied to *Copper, Brass or Bronze* articles, it will keep them *beautifully silvered*, with one quarter the trouble required to keep them clean by scouring, etc.

It will also be found to be the best and most economical silver cleaner ever used, producing all the brilliancy of unalloyed silver.

HOWE & STEVENS,

Manufacturers,

NO. 260 BROADWAY, BOSTON, MASS.

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SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.

SPARROW HORTON,

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Malaria Everywhere.

Rarely has there been a season as fruitful as this of malarious diseases. Not only on the prairies and in the valleys of the West; not merely in all the old haunts of Fever and Ague and Billious Remittent Fever have these prostrating diseases been unusually virulent; but they have extended to towns and cities never before infested with them, and have even ascended the mountains and attacked thousands of people supposed to have been placed by the laws of Nature above their reach. Hence we are compelled to admit that a fatal element pervades the Universal Air this season, and should at once resort to the only approved preventive of its consequences,

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS,

a tonic so potent, an anti-septic so perfect, an alterative so irresistible, and a stimulant so pure, that it enables the human system to resist and baffle all the predisposing causes of disease. With the confidence that one clothed in incombustible garments might move among blazing buildings, the man who arms himself against malaria with this powerful *defensive medicine* may walk a fever-scourged district fearless of its insalubrious atmosphere. The intermittents and remittents at present so general in all parts of the country may be but the forerunners of a deadlier scourge now on its way westward from the far East. Prepare the system with

HOSTETTER'S BITTERS

for a successful battle with the mephitic causes of *all epidemics*. Be wise in time. Sold everywhere.—*New York World, Nov. 6, 1865.*

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E. F CUSHMAN,

SUCCESSOR TO

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Tremont Street,

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EVERY DEPARTMENT in our Stock is now full.

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS;

RICH RIBBONS, PARIS FLOWERS, BEAUTIFUL PLUMES;

GLOVES, HOSIERY, LADIES' AED GENTS' UNDERGARMENTS;

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AT OUR VERY LOW PRICES.

☞ Every article warranted as represented.

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PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER,

As an internal remedy, has no equal. In case of Cholera, Summer Complaint, Dyspepsia, Dysentery, Asthma, it cures in one night, by taking it internally, and bathing with it freely. It is the best liniment in America. Its action is like magic, when externally applied to bad sores, burns, scalds, and sprains. For the sick headache and toothache, don't fail to try it. In short, it is a Pain Killer.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—This medicine has become an article of commerce, a thing no medicine ever became before. Pain Killer is as much an item in every bale of goods sent to country merchants as tea, coffee, or sugar. This speaks volumes in its favor.—GLENS FALLS MESSENGER.

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PERMANENT AND WIDE-SPREAD SUCCESS IS THE BEST EVIDENCE OF THE GOODNESS OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS.—They should be in every family, ready for use on the first symptoms of disease occurring. This method will often save life. Remember, the

CHOLERA MUST BE TREATED AS A POISON,

and your safety demands it should be got rid of without delay. Colds, rehumatism, asthma, pleurisy, diarrhœa, colics, in fact, all sickness is the consequence of active impurities in the blood. These being removed, the health is restored at once.

Observe my name in the Government stamp in white letters. Sold by Druggist.

sept 29—1m B. BRANDRETH.

THE MOON'S VOLCANOES

are engaging the attention of astronomers but the world of Beauty and Fashion is less interested in human discoveries than in the great question of

TURNING THE HEADS

that have been whitened by age or sickness to a glorious black or brown hue. Nobody now is such

A LUNATIC,

as not to admit that the finest and most harmless hair darkner in existence is

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE,

which nourishes the fibres as well as changes their hue. Manufactured by S. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers.

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A HUMBUG.

HOW OFTEN WE HEAR THIS EXPRESSION from persons reading advertisements of Patent Medicines, and in nine cases out of ten they may be right. It is over 19 years since I introduced my medicine, the VENETIAN LINIMENT, to the public. I had no money to advertise it, so I left it for sale with a few druggists and storekeepers through a small section of the country, many taking it with great reluctance; but I told them to let any one have it, and if it did not do all I stated on my pamphlet, no one need pay for it. In some stores two or three bottles were taken on trial by persons present. I was, by many, thought crazy, and that would be the last they would see of me. But I knew my medicine was no humbug. In about two months I began to receive orders for more Liniment, some calling it my valuable Liniment, who had refused to sign a receipt when I left it at their store. Now my sales are millions of bottles yearly, and all for cash. I warrant it superior to any other medicine for the cure of Croup, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Vomiting, Spasms, and Sea sickness, as an internal remedy. It is perfectly innocent to take internally, see oath accompanying each bottle,—and externally for Chronic Rhumatism, Headache, Mumps, Frosted Feet, Bruises, Sprains, Old Sores, Swellings, Sore Throats, &c., &c. Sold by all the Druggists. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

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J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST,

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party. J. M. T.

Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

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DRESS GOODS,

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WOOLENS,

COTTONS,

&c. &c.

And in all Departments, a Great Variety, and at the

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Chas. A. Smith,

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Sept. 14th, 1866.

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Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

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His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.

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A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,

BEING AN

EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH

CLOCK AND WATCH

MAKER,

AS ALSO

JEWELRY DEALER,

would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,

MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE COMMON.

All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,

AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
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And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

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{ L. S. } TO MARGARET MAHONEY, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About one quart of Whiskey in a jug.

About one half pint of Whiskey in a decanter,

About fifteen gallons of Ale in a half barrel,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Margaret Mahoney, in said Woburn, on the twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear at my office, in said Woburn, at two o'clock, P. M., on the thirteenth day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Margaret Mahoney, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
E. SIMONDS, Constable.

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

NEW

FISH MARKET.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of

FRESH AND SALT FISH,

OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,

and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.

All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage.

JAMES A. YOUNG.

Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

Choice English

Breakfast Tea,

FOR SALE BY

URBANE DERBY.

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EXTRA U. S. BOUNTY---$100,

Obtained *promptly* for soldiers, (who received but $100 bounty,) their widows, children, fathers or mothers, without the loss of time or expense of going to Boston, and at reasonable rates. Also, for widows drawing pension, $2 per month additional for each child under 16, procured by the subscriber, who having collected most of the Woburn Soldiers Claims has special facilities for obtaining the above with dispatch.

SPARROW HORTON.

aug 11—2m

BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

aug 11—6m

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,

dec30—1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

WHY WILL YOU SUFFER?

The remedy is within reach of all. *Smolander's Compound Fluid Extract of Buchu*, will cure you of all *Kidney Diseases, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy*, and *Chronic Gonorrhœa* and will renew and restore your exhausted and failing energies. If you have been a too eager *votary of pleasure* nothing will do you so much good as *Smolander's Extract Buchu*. For many diseases incident to females, *Smolander's Buchu* is a sure and sovereign remedy. *Get the Genuine. Price Only One Dollar.*

Sold by W. C. BRIGHAM,

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BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, General Agents.

ASK FOR SMOLANDER'S BUCHU.

june30

$2,000 A YEAR made by any one with $15 Stencil Tools. No experience necessary. The Presidents, Cashiers and Treasurers of 3 Banks endorse the circular. Sent free with samples. Address the American Stencil Tool Worm, Springfield, Vermont. jy28—3k

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions.

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

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Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,

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IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from *whatever cause*. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

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Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR,

jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

To Whom it may Concern.

MY wife, Susan M. Minor, has this day left my bed and board, and I forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no bills of her contracting. GEORGE MINOR.

Stoneham, Mass., Sept. 29, 1866. 3t*

Buy Your

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GRAIN

AND

Groceries

OF

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WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

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SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

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"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,

feb24—1y INSURANCE AGENT, at Woburn Bookstore.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

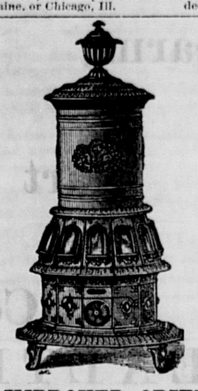
Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

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Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

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$1.500 PER YEAR! We want agents everywhere to sell our IMPROVED $20 Sewing Machines. Three new kinds. Under and upper feed. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than $40, which are *fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Bachelder. All* cheap machines are *infringements* and the *seller or user* are *liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment. Circulars free.* Address, or call upon Shaw & Clark, Biddeford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. dec30—1y



THE IMPROVED ORIENTAL

Base Burning Coal Stoves,

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THEY ARE PERPETUAL BURNERS, ONLY ONE FIRE BEING REQUIRED TO BE MADE DURING THE SEASON.

THEY ARE PERFECT VENTILATORS OF THE APARTMENT.

THERE CAN BE NO ESCAPE OF GAS FROM THEM.

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THE FIRE WILL REMAIN FOR DAYS WITHOUT ATTENTION.

THE ILLUMINATION IS EQUAL TO AN "OPEN FIRE."

THEY ARE POWERFUL HEATERS AND YET PERFECTLY ADAPTED TO MILD WEATHER.

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THE FURNACE WILL HEAT, SATISFACTORILY, BOTH AN UPPER AND A LOWER ROOM, WITHOUT ADDITIONAL FUEL.

Eight Sizes of the Stoves, and Three Sizes of the Parlor Furnaces.

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L. H. ALLEN,

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FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

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Particular attention paid to making

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He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.

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A LARGE VARIETY.

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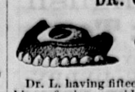
FOR CASH.

J. FRED. LESLIE.

Woburn, June 23, 1866.—tf

DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist.



Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

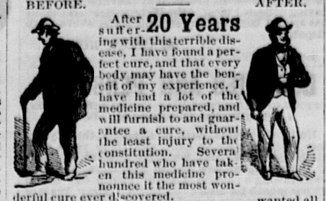
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Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

NITROUS OXYD GAS, or SULPHURIC ETHER, Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain.* Charges moderate.

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After suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered. **20 Years** wanted all over the country.

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REMOVAL.

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. He trusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A. B. COFFIN,

ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR at LAW
No. 4 NILES BLOCK, BOSTON
Entrance from Court Square and 33 School St.

Edward K. Willoughby.

HOUSE CARPENTER.

Walnut, near Main Street.

Jobbing promptly attended to, and on reasonable terms.

Woburn, July 14th, 1866. 4m*

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for
Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter,
18 OLD STATE HOUSE, Boston.

June23—1y

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN.

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

Woburn, Mass., Sept. 8th, 1866. 1y

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt, for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.
JOHN L. PARKER, Agent,
WOBURN, MASS.
OFFICE, KELLEY'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET.

CHARLES A. SMITH,

DEALER IN

American and Foreign

DRY GOODS,

Bank Block, - - Woburn



CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Tarian and Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.



PLATED WARE, Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,

33 Hanover, near Court street,
jan27—1y BOSTON.

LADIES,

IN ORDER TO MAKE ROOM FOR

LARGE IMPORTATIONS,

I shall offer for 30 days, at

AT REDUCED PRICES,

my whole stock of

CORSETS,

which is the largest, best, and most varied in the UNITED STATES.

MRS. CHARLOTTE M. ADAMS,

300 Washington Street, 300

sept15—4t BOSTON.

E. P. WHITE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

86 North St., Boston.

E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,
Copper Bath Tubs,
Copper Boilers,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,
Antimony, Sheet Zinc,
Pig Lead, Spelter,
Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Plumbers' Earthen and Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.

aug25—6m

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

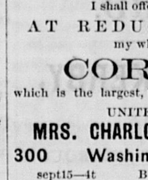
STATEMENT, JULY 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$300,000.00
Surplus, after deducting all claims,	203,472.58
	$503,472.58
Less Portland claims,	80,000.00
	$423,472.58

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,
AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.

aug 25—1y



CORSETS,

AND SKIRTS.

We are constantly receiving Corsets of the most elegant form, and the best quality that can be produced by the best manufacturers in France and Germany. Our Corsets and Skirts are not excelled by any in style, workmanship or the quality of material used in manufacturing.

Particular attention paid to fitting by ladies of good taste and long experience in the business.

We have also constantly on hand a fine assortment of

Gloves, Hoisery, Trimmings and Thread Store Goods.

JAMES YOUNG,

No. 12 HANOVER St., Boston, Mass.

aug25-3m

SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXPECTING in a little time to remove to Washington street, we offer our entire stock, consisting of elegant

DRAWING ROOM,
LIBRARY,
DINING ROOM
AND CHAMBER

Furniture!

Comprising as good and well selected stock as can be found in Boston, which we will sell at a LARGE DISCOUNT FROM REGULAR PRICES.

Purchasers will find it for their interest to visit our Warerooms, in the spacious Hall over the Passenger Depot of the Boston and Maine Rrilroad, Haymarket Square.

☞ Particular attention given in packing goods to go out of the city, and WITHOUT CHARGE TO THE PURCHASER.

BUCKLEY & BANCROFT,

Over the Passenger Depot, Haymarket Sqare.

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Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

{ L. S. } TO JOHN ROCHE, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About thirty gallons of Ale in a barrel,
About two gallons if Ale in a jug,
About two gallons if Whiskey in a jug,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said John Roche, in said Woburn, on the twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, in my opinion, exceeds twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before the Justices of the Superior Court next to be holden at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Monday of Octoter next, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and vessels should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said John Roche, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six. P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.
sept29—2t

{ L. S. } TO ANN SALMON, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About four and one-half gallons of Rum in three jugs,
About one and one-half quarts of Rum in two tin measures,
About seven gallons of Whiskey in three kegs,
About four quarts of Rum in five bottles,
About twelve gallons of Ale in a barrel,
About three and one-half pints of Wine in four bottles,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Ann Salmon, in said Woburn, on the twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, in my opinion, exceeds twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before the Justices of the Superior Court next to be holden at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the third Monday of October next, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and vessels should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Ann Salmon, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this twenty-second day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six. P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.
sept29—2t

JUST RECEIVED PER CUBA,

Thibets and Repps,

IN ALL THE BEST SHADES,

OF OUR OWN IMPORTATION.

Wholesale and Retail.

SHEPARD, NORWELL & CO.,

30 & 34 WINTER STREET,
BOSTON.

EMBROIDERY DEPARTMENT!

JUST OPENED A JOB LOT

CLUNY COLLARS,

AT LESS THAN GOLD COST,

Wholesale and Retail.

SHEPARD, NORWELL & CO.

Black and Colored Silk,

Just Received from Auction,

AT A GREAT BARGAIN,

Wholesale and Retail.

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JUST OPEN,

20 Cases Blankets!

FROM $6.50 to $20.00,

—ALSO—

34 Bales of FLANNELS,

COLORED & WHITE.

All grades, much less than former prices.

Wholesale and Retail.

Shepard, Norwell & Co.

SHAWLS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

And at Lowest Market Rates.

SHEPARD, NORWELL & CO.,

30 & 34 WINTER STREET,
sept15—4t BOSTON.

Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,

And Girls

To learn the trade, at

P. TEARE'S.

Pictures Framed

IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.
SPARROW HORTON,
feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the disease of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

Flour, FEED, MEAL AND GRAIN.

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford.

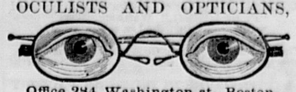
By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

PROF. FRANKS & SONS,

OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.
(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any pedlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. jan20—1y

ITCH! ITCH! ITCH!

SCRATCH! SCRATCH! SCRATCH!

Wheaton's Ointment

Will Cure the Itch in 48 Hours.

Also cures SALT RHEUM, ULCERS, CHILBLAINS, and all ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN. Price 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

By sending 60 cents to WEEKS & POTTER, Sole Agents, 170 Washington street, Boston, it will be forwarded by mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States. oct28—1y

REMOVAL.

C. S. ADKINS,

DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY,

PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
Violin and Guitar Strings.

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

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Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

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SURVEYING, Levelling, Measurement of Work, Wood, Timber, &c. Deeds, mortgages, &c., written, and Titles traced. Agent for the sale, leasing and care of Real Estate. Sales of Real and Personal Estate at Auction. Also appraisal, division and settlement of Estates.

☞ Orders by mail promptly attended to.

Goods ALL Marked Down,

To close our entire stock this month!

Stores in Boston,

Opposite the Museum,

ALSO,

Opposite the Tremont House,

AT

S. S. HOUGHTON'S & CO.'S,

The only Cheap Stores in Boston.

COTTONS, all marked down to close.
FLANNELS, all marked down to close.
LINEN GOODS, all marked down to close.
LACES & EMBROIDERIES, all marked down to close.
HOSIERY, UNDER-GARMENTS, all marked down to close.
HOOP SKIRTS & CORSETS, all marked down to close.
RIBBONS, FLOWERS, BONNETS, HATS, &C., &C., all marked WAY DOWN, to close the entire lot during this GRAND CLOSING-OUT SALE.

Nos. 45 & 47 Tremont St.,

Nearly opposite the Museum. Also at our Old Stand OPPOSITE THE TREMONT HOUSE.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.

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EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

Bill-heads printed at this office.

GRAND TRIAL OF

SEWING MACHINES,

(Between the Wilcox & Gibbs and Florence.)

The Willcox & Gibbs Triumphant!

It is declared the best Machine, and awarded the Highest Premium.

For the Willcox & Gibbs Machine, THIRTY-FIVE distinct claims were made for superiority, ALL of which were fully sustained; for the Florence Machine but TEN were presented, only TWO of which were sustained. By this trial, more thorough than any of the kind ever previously attempted, a trial before an able and impartial jury, the justice of whose verdict none can dispute—it has been proved, decided and published to the world, that the Willcox & Gibbs Machine is just what it has claimed to be —AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES. It requires, we think, no prophet to foresee its accelerated progress in the future, or to foretell its ultimate triumph as the recognized STANDARD SEWING MACHINE OF THE WORLD.

Circulars containing a full Report of the Judges and all particulars at this important trial, may be obtained of

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

at Carnes' Millinery Store, Main St., Woburn, where the machine can be seen in operation, and any information given in respect to the same.

july7—tf

NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market

On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER.

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,

VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

☞ IN THEIR SEASONS, ☜

POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

AND

HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

of the very best quality.

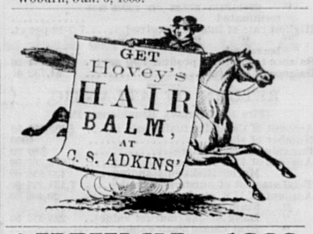
GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.



AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,

FOR

GENTLEMEN'S

GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING

A SPLENDID STOCK OF

NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF GOODS

—FOR—

Gentlemen's Garments,

EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT

CHAMBERS

265 Washington St.,

BOSTON.

J. PIERPONT COLLINS.

sept15—3m

Anæsthesia.

Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.

COME AND GET YOUR TEETH EXTRACTED without pain, by the above anæsthetic, which is, thousands can testify who have tried it, a blessing to the age in which we live. Positively no pain at all, and can be administered, and Teeth extracted, and the patient go about his business in ten minutes' time. All other operations, such as filling and the Pathological treatment of the teeth, together with Artificial teeth of all kinds, done in the best manner and as soon as it can be done properly.

Call and see specimens at my office.

E. H. DANIELS,

19 Tremont Row, Boston.

sept 1—3m

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, Jr.

Woburn, March 17, 1866.

Cards printed at this Office

Special Notice.

THE attention of the people of Woburn and vicinity is called to the

HOWE

SEWING MACHINES,

FOR FAMILY SEWING.

They are superior to any in the market; are simple, durable, and very easily understood and kept in order.

The Manufacturing Machines are taking the place of all other machines for Boot and Shoe Fitting, doing the work superior to all others. Also, TAILORING WORK.

CALL AND SEE THEM!

FOR SALE BY

Charles Pierce,

OVER HAYWARD'S STORE, MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—3m

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH,
from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10, aug 11 BOSTON.

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,506,282.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN McGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, Asst Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

FOR FALL SALE.

JUST RECEIVED

a full stock of

ENGLISH & AMERICAN

Carpetings,

ALL GRADES

The very latest styles.

ALSO,

Oil Cloths from 3 to 24 feet wide, from the most reliable manufacturers, all of which will be sold at the very

LOWEST PRICES.

Parties furnishing houses will not omit to see our stock before purchasing.

NEW GOODS received daily from steamers and the best manufacturers.

GOLDTHWAIT, SNOW & KNIGHT,

No. 33 Washington St., Boston.

sept 15—8t

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, within and for the County of Middlesex.

WE, the undersigned, citizens of Woburn, respectfully represent that the road leading from the Watering Station on the Boston and Lowell Railroad, in said Woburn, up to the junction of said road with Beach Street, is too narrow, and requires widening and straightening, and therefore request that your Honorable Board would view said road and take such action in the premises as your Honorable Board shall think best.

LUKE R. TIDD, and others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
MIDDLESEX, ss.

At a meeting of the County Commissioners for the County of Middlesex, at Lowell, in said County, on the first Tuesday of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six:

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy, give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Watering Station, so called, on the Boston and Lowell Railroad, in Woburn, on FRIDAY, the 26th day of October next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, by serving the Town Clerk of Woburn with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in the Middlesex Journal, a newspaper printed at Woburn, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in the said town of Woburn, fourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and hearing.

JNO JAS. SAWYER, Ass't Clerk.

Copy of Petition and Order thereon.
Attest, JNO JAS. SAWYER, Ass't Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest, E. W. FISKE, Deputy Sheriff.
sept22—3t

COOKING STOVES.

Chilson's New Cooking Stove,

OF ALL SIZES.

is now finished and patented. It has been made expressly to meet the increasing demand for a better class of Stoves than is now in use, and will show the greatest improvement of the age in Stove manufacture.

It is entirely new in principle, is beautiful in design, and of superior workmanship; made by the subscriber of extra smooth, fine, heavy castings, and of entirely new iron of the best quality. It is fitted with or without Extension Tops, Hot Closets, Reservoirs, &c., with a new arrangement, also, of

WATER FRONTS, WITH PIPES AND COUPLINS, for heating water for Bath Boilers, &c.—unquestionably the best plan ever devised for the purpose.

Economy in Fuel, Simplicity, Durability, and General Convenience, were among the objects sought, and which have all been attained in this invention. *This stove must be seen to be appreciated.*

Furnaces, both Brick & Portable,

Cooking Ranges, Cone Disk Stoves.

(for heating Stores, Halls, &c.,) PARLOR STOVES, REGISTERS, VENTILATORS, &c., as usual and for sale in any desired quantity, at the subscriber's store,

91 & 101 Blackstone Street, Boston,

or at his Foundry in Mansfield, Mass.

sept 22—1m GARDNER CHILSON.

AGENTS WANTED,

FOR FRANK MOORE'S NEW WORK,

"WOMEN OF THE WAR."

AGENTS will find this a book of *real merit* and *intrinsic value*—SUBJECT NEW—*intensely interesting and exciting.*—No work ever attracted and engaged the public mind like this. Everybody wants it, and thousands will purchase it as soon as an opportunity is afforded them. Read what Agents say of it.

One experienced agent writes: It is the easiest and pleasantest Book to sell he ever canvassed for, and says people are delighted with it, the *Ladies* especially. Another says: "Women of the War" is the book of the season. Another, 137 ORDERS IN FOUR DAYS. One reports 17 orders the first day of canvassing.

INTELLIGENT, active MALES or FEMALES will find the sale of *this* work a pleasant and *lucrative employment.* THIS BOOK HAS NO COMPETITOR. IT COMES FRESH AND NEW TO THE PEOPLE. *The Territory is Clean and Clear. Agents understand the advantages in this particular.* For full particulars, send for circular. Address,

S. S. SCRANTON & CO.,
126 Asylum St., Hartford, Conn.

sept22—4t

F. L. GERALD,

VETERINARY SURGEON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

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Middlesex Journal.

Devoted to the Local Interests of Woburn, Winchester, Stoneham, Reading, North & South Reading, Wilmington, Burlington and Lexington.

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Gillott's Pens.
THE POPULAR 303 EXTRA FINE.
Suitable for light, fluent styles of writing.

Gillott's Pens.
DOUBLE 604 ELASTIC.
Fine and Extra Fine Points, ¼ gross boxes.

Gillott's Pens.
PUBLIC 404 PEN.
Very popular in Schools, and for Commercial use.

Gillott's Pens.
SCHOOL 351 PEN.
Fine points, suitable for medium styles of writing.

Gillott's Pens.
LADIES 170 PEN.
A delicate and beautiful pen.

Gillott's Pens.
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THE ROMAN QUESTION.—The Roman Catholic world is more than usually agitated by the near approach of December 15th, when the convention of September 12th, 1864, providing for the withdrawal of the French troops from Rome, is expected to receive its complete and literal execution. This event is felt to be more momentous from the fact that Austria is struck down from the high position occupied before the recent conflict so disasterous to her arms, leaving the fortunes of the pontificial chair more than ever the caprice of Victor Emanuel (the excommunicated King), which is regarded as a treacherous dependence. Several prominent archbishops and cardinals have recently expressed their views on the subject. In the diocese of Dublin, special devotions have been observed, to implore the Almighty to arrest the dangers which threaten the supreme pontiff. His eminence the Cardinal Archbishop proceeded "to set forth the claims which the Pope has upon the love of all Catholics, the perils which at present encompassed him, and the way in which the love of his children might be most profitably exhibited towards him, which was by prayer and material aid." We extract from circulars issued by high ecclesiastical authority, the following, showing the extreme solicitude awakened by the present situation. Cardinal Cullon, addressing the Roman Catholic Bishops of Ireland, said:

"The recent events in Central Europe, and the approaching recall of the French forces from Rome, have led to a crisis in which the authority, and even the personal liberty of the sovereign Pontiff are placed in imminent peril, by being left at the mercy of the infidel party in Italy. Several of the Bishops of Ireland who have honored this diocese by assisting this day at a Pontificial high mass, celebrated in the cathedral for the welfare of our Holy Father, have expressed their opinion that this Catholic nation ought to mark, by some solemn act, its sympathy with the persecuted Pontiff, and its detestation, both of the treachery of the false friends and of violence of the open foes of the Apostolic See. With this view, they have requested me to invite the other Bishops of Ireland to order, in their respective dioceses, as they themselves have determined to do, that the 9th of September, Feast of the Holy Name of Mary, shall be kept by the faithful as a day of special prayer for the protection of the Pope in the present dangers that surround him. Your lordship will agree with me in thinking that a demonstration like this, made simultaneously throughout the entire country, and in the language of prayer, will be the most efficient and the most dignified protest that Catholic Ireland can make against the machinations of the enemies of the church. Besides, such a protest cannot fail to exert a salutary influence on public opinion, at home and abroad."

Dr. Gilloby, Bishop of Elphin, in an address to the clergy, says:

"The public prints have already informed you of the new dangers which beset our Holy Father. He is now threatened not only with the loss of the remnant of his temporal dominions, but even with the loss of liberty, perhaps of life. There is no crime so heinous which the renegades and infidels of Italy are not prepared to commit in pursuance of their wicked designs. Their hatred of our holy religion is so intense that, if not restrained by force, they will seize upon the Papal States, sack and burn the churches, banish or imprison the clergy, and spare no violence to enslave and suppress the authority of the Holy See. A crisis is at hand. According to the nafarious treaty of September, concluded without even the knowledge of the Holy Father, between the traitorous protector and the declared enemy of the Papacy, the protection of Catholic France will shortly be withdrawn from the Holy Father—the French troops will be recalled from his territory. Then will the agents of the ex-communicated King of Sardinia and of the secret societies re-establish their reign of terror in Rome, and drive the weak and corrupt Romans to vote the deposition of the Pope and the annexation of the Papal States to the kingdom of Italy; then will be completed the spoilation of the Vicar of Christ, not less by the cowardice and treachery of his friends than by the injustice and impunity of his foes; then will all the powers of hell be exerted anew to crush his spiritual supremacy. He will not be left whereon to lay his head. Like his Divine Master he will be loaded with insults and charged with crimes; he will be deprived of liberty, it may be life. Such are the events which, in the ordinary course of human affairs, we may expect very soon to witness. Irishmen cannot look on with indifference while treachery and infidelity so impiously assail the Church of Christ, which they love, and its sacred head, to whom they are so devotedly attached."

CHINESE PIRATES.—Hong Kong papers give a full account of a recent capture and burning of twenty-two pirate junks by a couple of British gunboats, which sailed from Hong Kong, July 12, for Hainan Island, and discovered the pirates in a small inlet. The place is described as a beautiful spot, covered with a luxuriant tropical vegetation, and usually affording a safe retreat. The junks each mounted about ten large guns, and showed fight without hesitation. The gunboats advanced to within short range, and were occasionally struck, though most of the balls from the pirate junks passed over them.

This cannonading went on for about two hours, when a new turn was given to the course of events by means of a landing party from the gunboats. About five and forty men were quietly put on shore, and under cover of the jungle, made their way round to the part of the creek at which the pirate vessels were lying, without being observed until they came close to the junks. From those lying close along the shore the pirates immediately fled, sculling in their sampans or swimming ashore to the opposite side of the creek, and gradually, as the landing party took possession of the junks along the shore, and by means of boats began to board those which were anchored out in the creek, the pirates gave up, and even from the vessels lying furthest out, the crews slipped over the sides, and disappeared with or without the assistance of sampans.

A number of pirates were made prisoners, but being mostly wounded and in need of medical attendance, they were allowed to escape. The junks were all burned, notwithstanding some of them contained valuable cargo. It is thought that the severe punishment thus inflicted, and the organization of a court at Hong Kong for the suppression of piracy (the admiral of the station being Chief Justice), will have a most salutury effect.

A SINGULAR CHARACTER.

There are few residents of Mobile who have not seen the Sicilian, Andrea, hobbling through our streets upon his patched crutch, and walking staff, or lying on some door step, basking in the sun, always wrapped in the rags of poverty—a picture of filth and pauperism without a parallel in this or any other city. Many reports are given of his early history, of the cause by which he lost his leg, and of his eccentricities; but from these conflicting statements it is difficult to arrive at the truth; and no inducement can be offered him to speak of his past career. Importunities in this direction are most certain to be met by a fit of passion, calculated to deter the most persevering from pressing the subject too closely. But report states that in his boyhood he was one of Lafitte's crew, and lost his leg during an action between the Gulf Pirate and an English man-of-war.

This statement is without any substantial authority, but there seems to be much more truth in the following, which has just been related to us, by a gentleman who has seen him almost daily for the last fifteen years. About eighteen years ago Andrea resided in New Orleans, and while one day assisting to put some heavy timber in a vessel undergoing repairs, one of them fell upon and crushed his leg. Amputation became necessary, and was performed at the Marine Hospital in that city, and a few years afterwards he came to Mobile, where he soon became an institution.

He has relatives here in good circumstances, who have made many efforts to reform his vagrant habits, and once prevailed upon him with such success as to establish him in a fruit-stand, fitted up for his benefit, in which he continued but a few days, when he broke up his stands and boxes, pitched his fruit into the dock, and without giving a word of explanation resumed his uncouth habits. He has been repeatedly provided with good clothes, which seem to disgust him more the nearer they approach gentility, and a few days will find them torn up, patched and repatched, until all semblance of shape has been destroyed in them, and Andrea rejoices in his rags again. Strangers, thinking him an object of charity, sometimes offer him money, which he almost invariably throws back at them in a fit of rage and passion.

When driven by hunger he will sometimes ask for a piece of bread, which is never refused him, but more frequently enters a saloon or bakery in whatever part of the city he may be, and helps himself to any article of food desirable to him, and cooly emerges into the street again, without saying "by your leave," or "thank you." At the market he has been known to take up a fish, sometimas devouring it raw, but when his appetite gives him leisure, he goes through a process of cooking it, peculiar to himself.

Without scaling, cleaning, or giving it any civilized preparation whatever, he will place it on the coals of some of the furnaces on Front st, and permitting it to broil but a few seconds, draws the tempting morsel forth, and instantly devours it. Taking his position in the sun, the vermin with which his rags are populated soon warm into life and activity, when Andrea's occupation begins by an onslaught upon the grey backs. He will go under one of the docks when the process of ablution becomes a necessity with him, wash his clothes, and after hanging them out to dry, take his crutches and swim to the opposite side of the river, remaining there until his apparel is sufficiently dry to be worn, when he returns and resumes his peregrinations through the city, travelling day and night, sleeping in the sun or in the rain, wherever and whenever fatigue overtakes him.

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The Rochester Union and American thinks it is not safe for citizens of the United States to enter Canada, all suspected of Fenian sympathies being liable to arrest. The editor says:

The situation in Canada, as we gather from the press and conversations with Canadians, is frightful. All branches of business are prostrated, bank suspensions are experienced and dreaded, dwellings are emptied and stores closed by emigration to the United States, the able-bodied men are serving in the militia at the front—everything is unsettled and wears a gloomy aspect. Under the heavy armament caused by the Fenian movement taxes are swelling to enormous proportions.

Since the great fire of July 4th, probably no city or town in the Union has presented a more busy scene than Portland; houses, stores and shops are springing up here and there all over the burnt district; all the streets are lined with high piles of lumber, brick and all sorts of building material, and the various avenues are crowded with busy trucks and teams, while every inch of spare wharf room along the entire front of the city, is crowded with all kinds of building material. By the time "snow flies" there will be a respectable show of new buildings among the ruins.—*Portland Price Current.*

The Ottawas, a tribe of partially civilized Indians, are erecting a university for the education of Indians in Kansas. Their chief, John Jones, is a thoroughly educated man, and is the leader in the enterprise, and associated with him are several other gentlemen, including Rev. Mr. Hutchinson, the Government Indian Agent for the Ottawas. By a treaty consummated two or three years since the Ottawas gave twenty thousand acres of land from the centre of their rich reservation for the establishment of this university.

THE MYSTIC TIE. C. C. B. & C. D. C.—The first of the initals above stand for an old friend to the public; one which every one will recognize and for which every one has a kind welcome; we refer to Coe's Cough Balsam—the cheapest and best preparation in the world for croup, coughs, colds, and all throat and lung complaints. The second are for Coe's Dyspepsia Cure—the only remedy ever known that is sure to cure dyspepsia, indigestion, Flatulency and general debility. Both articles are now too well known to need any praise from us. Let the afflicted always have them handy.

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DANCE OF DEATH.—The merciless King of Terrors still holds high carnival at Nashville. With cool bracing weather there comes but a slight abatement of the terrible epidemic. Notwithstanding the assertion by the Banner that not over a thousand people have left that city in consequence of the dreadful pestilence, we have it on the authority of many prominent and trustworthy citizens of that place, that not less than ten thousand persons have sought refuge in the interior of Tennessee and in neighboring cities. Our correspondent, who has just arrived from Nashville, represents the mortality even greater than reported. Business is almost entirely at a "dead lock," and the streets in their deserted appearance sadly bespeak the calamitous effects of cholera. Nowhere perhaps in the country has the epidemic proven more fatal. The physicians in the city are overworked. Three have fallen victims to the disease, and three others are lying ill. — *Louisville Journal, Sept.* 29.

A Southern paper tells of a visit to a cave near Augusta, Georgia. While the party were within investigating the gloomy interior, there was noticed an old colored man standing outside, and he was asked, "Say, Uncle, why don't you go in?" "Ah, my master," says he, "ah Lord, I see trouble enough on top of the earth, don't go in dat hole a searching arter misery."

THE ORIENTAL.
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The present population of the United States is estimated at 36,000,000, judging from returns received by the census department.

A FRANK STATEMENT.—A Western candidate for Congress, who had a large and well-stocked farm, was annoyed at the almost nightly disappearance from his premises of a number of his hogs. A vigilant watch enabled him to detect the thief, who proved to be a neighbor, and a warm political friend of the candidate—one, in fact, upon whose assistance he greatly relied in the coming canvass. He disliked to lose his support, and he disliked more the idea of loosing his hogs; so he made up his mind to be frank with the thief, and try to save, in more senses than one, his bacon. He went at once to his neighbor, told him what he had ascertained, expressed his desire not to make a public exposure, and said: "Now I make this proposition; if you will let my hogs alone in the future, I will not only say nothing of the past, but when I kill, in the fall, I'll put into your cellar five barrels of as good pork as I make." The fellow reflected a moment, and replied: "Well, Squire, that's a fair proposition, any how; and seeing as it's you, I'll do it. *But, I vow, I believe I shall lose pork by the operation.*

Why is Buckingham Palace the cheapest ever erected? Because it was built for one sovereign and finished for another.

What is the difference between a summer dress in winter and an extracted tooth? One is too thin, and the other is tooth out.

What is the difference between a tunnel and a speaking trumpet? One is hollowed out and the other is hollowed in.

Why is furling a ship's canvas like a mock auction? Because its a taking in sale (sail).

Why are the arrows of Cupid like a man in an ague fit? Because they are all in a quiver.

What is it that by losing an eye has nothing left but a nose? A noise.

The Middlesex Journal,
—AND—
WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

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AMERICANS TO HAVE BROAD VIEWS; AND TO BE TOLERANT, GENEROUS AND FRIENDLY.

That the American people should possess broad views and generous and magnanimous sentiments, is evident from many considerations. We are a numerous people. Narrow-mindedness springs up in small communities, like a country village or town, and disappears in large cities where numbers tend to the enlargement of thought. Contracted territory, in connection with seclusion and isolation from society, almost invariably mould the inhabitants to restricted ways and limited ideas. But our country is wide.

"No pent up Utica contracts our powers,
But the whole boundless continent is ours."

Ours is no stagnant sea over which breaks no waves, but there is a constant agitation of the public mind. The railroad, wherever it stretches its path, carries tidings which awaken sympathy and concerted action; and the river, lake, sea, bear upon their surface the voyagers from every clime. No nation ever had such toleration as ours for every form of religious faith, however strange and foolish; and almost every nation on the globe has representatives among us.

We have chiefly received our education from Great Britain, from whence our early settlers came, and there, more than in any other country, has existed culture and freedom. But we have outgrown our dependence upon the mother country for information and opinions, and select learning wherever we can find it. Our Young America in a large and noble sense, presumes to have a mind of its own, and aims to be in advance of other nationalities.

If we were thought to be an inferior people, because we had never experienced the struggles of a great war, and had never been saddened with the burdens of a great debt, we have made up for that deficiency. With commerce and great cities on the sea, a wide seaboard, and merchant princes, and traffickers of the earth going everywhere about, why should we be a people of petty thoughts, contracted opinions and little spites? Why not enlarge ourselves, that we may come somewhat in agreement with the greatness in population, in extent of territory, in facilities for internal communication and external contact with other nations? Why not rise to the greatness of our position as an advanced nation; as a free people; as a country representing the world in our congregated aspect of all nationalities?

That there is something of this already, every one must admit, but how constantly do we see the contrary. There is more toleration in religion than formerly, but there is still great illiberality. In politics, no advance seems to be made, but prejudice, rancour, evil speaking, and a pushing to the wall prevails. And this in a country where free opinions, and free utterance, and free action at the polls, is as indispensable, to keep us pure and vigorous, as is the freedom of the winds of heaven to give us health and strength.

Our country is too large, also, for narrow sectional prejudices. Slavery being abolished, we may hope to have the words South and North stricken out of our geography as communities of diverse interests, with whom no intercourse is to be held and no sympathies indulged. If the great war has settled any thing, it is, that there is to be only *one* country. The past is past, and he is a fool who holds on to the prejudices and opinions born of strife and darkness and evil thoughts.

Our mission, henceforth, is to teach broad views, enlarged opinions, generous confidence, and magnanimous action towards every creed, party, section and class. Teachers, ministers, editors, and writers for the press, and political and reform speakers, should have breadth of views and large toleration.

Notwithstanding what has been said of the requisites for our country, and the adaptation of things here to give breadth of view and high-minded action, we are still very defective. From the school room, the pulpit, the legislative hall, the gubernatorial chair, the conventions of all sorts,—we are pained at the constant utterance of narrow-minded and partisan sentiments, and those of a persecuting and slanderous character, and these illiberal sentiments are almost always greeted with applause from the narrow-minded and bigotted.

There is a narrow-mindedness engendered by a class education, even of the learned professions. They read too exclusively what belongs to their own department, and associate accordingly. Hence ministers make the poorest politicians, and politicians the poorest ministers. Lawyers have too much distrust of men to be liberally minded and charitable. City people very much undervalue country people, whose dress, and occupation, and ways appear so inferior to their own, and farmers can form no idea of the peculiar training of the sailor, as tending to liberalize his views of various nations.

It is only by mingling with all classes, and entering into their feelings and hearing their opinions, and by traveling extensively, and studying agriculture, manufactures, mechanic arts, political maxims and constitutions, that we can obtain extensive and minute views of men and things.

Selfishness causes narrow views and conduct. Vanity and pride foment estrangement and separation. A true Christianity is not bitter and persecuting, arrogant and tyrannical, but inculcates love and charity and mutual acts of kindness. Benevolence conquers all, and will rule the world as genuine love of souls pervades the earth.

☞ The farewell Sermon of the Rev. Dr. Bodwell, has just been issued from the press. It is printed on good paper and with large type, and has a fine cut representing the Church. The sermon is full of historical interest, relating to the church and society, and should be in the hands of every one of its friends. It can be obtained at the stores of Alvah Buckman, Sparrow Horton, and C. S. Adkins.

VERY REMARKABLE.—For the past seven months Woburn has not been startled by a single alarm of fire.

The steamship Evening Star, on her way from New York to New Orleans, foundred in a violent gale on the 3d inst. She had as passengers, 250 souls, most of whom, with a large number of the crew of the vessel, were lost, a few having been saved in boats.

Rev. H. Clay Trumbull, of Hartford, Conn., will preach next Sabbath, morning and afternoon, in the First Congregational church.

The current number of the Home Monthly is beautifully embellished with music and engravings, and filled with choice reading. Among the notable articles are, At Twilight, a domestic poem, by Charles and Emily Pearson; Little Stick Gatherers, by C. F. Foster; Fashions of the Revolution, (illustrated,); Duties of Fathers, by Rev. J. M. Greene; Fossil Gums, an admirable scientific paper, by Prof. Gunning—"the Ruskin of America"; The Better Part, a characteristic story, by Minnie W. May, (illustrated); Father and Son, a graphic and touching Irish Sketch, and other interesting and valuable articles. 21 cents, or $2.50 a year. C. H. Pearson & Co., 21 Cornhill, Boston.

Rear Admiral F. H. Gregory died at the Brooklyn Navy Yard on Thursday of last week. He was one of the ablest and most distinguished officers in the service. He was a native of Connecticut. He entered the merchant service in 1802, when very young, and after being captured, imprisoned and released by the British, was appointed midshipman in the navy by President Jefferson in 1809. His gallant conduct won him early and rapid promotion. He was actively engaged in 1812, on the lakes, and was taken prisoner in one engagement. At the outbreak of the late war he begged to be sent into active service, although seventy-two years old; but the Department preferred to employ him on shore in organizing the navy, and he rendered most valuable and efficient aid.

THE ELECTIONS.—Elections for State officers took place in Pennsylvania, Indiana, Ohio, and Iowa, on Tuesday last. Full returns have not yet been received from any of these States, but enough is known for us to state, that they have all gone Republican, by about the same vote as last year, and that the members of Congress returned, stand, as far as known, as in the present House.

Commodore Robert F. Stockton, formerly commodore in the United States navy, died at Princeton, N. J., on the 7th instant.

A German has brought to Paris an inexplosible powder, which is certainly going to make a revolution in this department of war material. This powder, invented by Mr. Neumeyer, of Leipsic, does not explode in the open air when inflamed; it burns up slowly like so much tinder; but it explodes with more explosive force than any other powder, in a closed cavity; it is cheaper than ordinary powder, and may be manufactured anywhere, even on board ship.

What is the difference between the desert of Sahara and an ancient shoe? One is all sand, and the other is *sand al.*

What kind of leather would a naked Moor remind you of? Undressed morocco.

Why is a Hebrew in perfect health like a diamond? Because he is a Jew-well.

What celebrated convention would you be reminded of, on hearing a young lady giving advice to her uncle. Council of Nice.

What thing is that which the more you cut the longer it becomes? A ditch.

Why is a French franc of no value compared with the American dollar? Because it is worth-less.

A NATIONAL THANKSGIVING.—The following proclamation has been issued by the President:—

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, has been pleased to vouchsafe to us, a people, another year of that national life which is an indispensable condition of peace, security and progress. That year, moreover, has been crowned with many peculiar blessings. The civil war that was so recently among us has not been anywhere reopened; foreign intervention has ceased to excite alarm or apprehension; intrusive pestilence has been benignly mitigated; domestic tranquility has improved, sentiments of conciliation have largely prevailed, and the affections of loyalty and patriotism have been widely renewed. Our fields have yielded quite abundantly, our mining industry has been richly rewarded, and we have been allowed to extend our railroad system into the interior recesses of the country, while our commerce has resumed its customary activity in foreign seas. These great national blessings demand a national acknowledgment.

Now, therefore, I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, do hereby recommend that Thursday, the 29th day of November next, be set apart to be observed everywhere in the several States and Territories of the United States by the people thereof as a day of thanksgiving and praise to Almighty God, with due remembrance that in His temple doth every man speak of His praise. I recommend, also, that on the same solemn occasion we do humbly and devoutly implore Him to grant to our national councils and to our whole people that Divine wisdom which alone can lead any nation into the ways of all good. In offering these national thanksgivings, praises and supplications, we have the Divine assurance that "the Lord remaineth a king forever; those that are meek shall He guide in judgment, and such as are gentle shall He learn his way; the Lord shall give strength to His people, and the Lord shall give to His people the blessing of peace."

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this 8th day of October, in the year of our Lord 1866, and of the Independence of the United States the ninety-first.

ANDREW JOHNSON.

By the President:
William H. Seward, Secretary of State.

WINCHESTER.

DONATION PARTY. — On Thursday evening of last week, the parishoners and friends of Rev. Mr. Hinckley, the pastor of the Baptist Society, to the number of some one hundred, called upon the reverend gentlemen and his wife, at their residence. After spending a portion of the evening in social intercourse, the company were invited to the dining room, where a bountiful supper was spread, which had been provided by the lady visitors. After doing justice to the viands upon the table, Rev. Mr. Hinckley made an appropriate address, recalling the many times his people had made him these friendly visits, and the many tokens of their affectionate regards which he had received from them. Mr. J. A. Safford then addressed the pastor, and in behalf of his friends presented him with $102, and his wife with $72. The pastor returned his thanks for these renewed expressions of their regard and their kindly interest in him and his family. After prayer and singing, the company dispersed with the expressed desire upon their lips and in their hearts, that their pastor would recall his letter of resignation, and long remain with them to break unto them the bread of life.

The larder of the reverend gentlemen's house was not forgotten on this occasion, but received donations of provisions, vegetables, &c. The Rev. Mr. Hinckley cannot but feel pleased with this gathering, as showing the feeling of his parishoners towards him at the present time. Says a friend in regard to this matter,—"This church and society were in a feeble condition, and were worshipping in Lyceum Hall when they gave Mr. Hinckley, a graduate of Harvard College, a call to be their pastor. He had not been settled long before he said, 'we will arise and build a house to the Lord our God,' and to further the enterprise he solicited and collected of his friends and acquaintances nearly five thousand dollars, and together with various contributions, they purchased ground and erected a neat edifice, which could not be duplicated for twelve thousand dollars. There is now a flourishing Sabbath school connected with the church.

"At a meeting of the church on Monday evening last, it was voted, with but one dissenting voice, to request the pastor to withdraw his letter of resignation. They believe there is no one who would give such general satisfaction to the society as their present minister. Of course in every church there will be some who are not satisfied with their pastor, but should not such remain silent, or withdraw, rather than require a large majority to yield to their puny opposition? The removal of Mr. Hinckley from here at the present time, would not only be a serious loss to the society, to whom he has devoted so much unrequited toil, but to the town, in whose interest he has labored, and in whose prosperity he has taken so active a part."

REMOVAL OF AN ANCIENT LAND-MARK.—The blacksmith shop at Symmes' Corner, which has so long served as a land-mark to that section of the town, is in process of removal to a location higher up, near by, and is to be converted into a barn by Mr. O. L. Wellington, the purchaser.

PROGRESS.—As an evidence of the progress of the age towards granting equal rights to all, white and black, it should be stated that at the present term of the Superior Courts in Suffolk county, both civil and criminal, there are colored jurymen in service—one or more in each. These are the first in these courts although there was one in the Supreme Court in the last murder case. From some unexplained cause, this class of our fellow citizens have heretofore been kept out of the jury box, but the slow but sure progress of justice is setting the matter right, and bringing all upon the same level. EXCELSIOR.

I have had occasion to observe that a warm, blundering man does more for the world, than a frigid, wise man. One who gets in the habit of inquiring about proprieties, not expediencies, and occasions, often spends his whole life without doing anything to purpose.—*Cecil.*

WOBURN LOCALS.

CONVENTION.—The Suffolk and Middlesex Good Templar Association, met with Good Samaritan Lodge, in this town, on Wednesday. The morning session, which was for the transaction of the private business of the association, was held in the room occupied by the lodge, and lasted until twelve o'clock, when it adjourned for dinner. Five long tables had been spread in the large vestry of the Congregational church, and were loaded with a most bountiful collation, presenting a very fine appearance, and reflecting credit upon the committee who had the matter in charge. Rev. M. M. Parkhurst invoked the divine blessing, and then W. C. T. John L. Parker, invited the guests to partake of the good things provided. At the conclusion of these interesting exercises, Mr. John W. Berry, of Lynn, was called on to officiate as toast master, and in response to the several sentiments offered, remarks upon the subject of temperance were made by several of the gentlemen present. In the afternoon the Association assembled in the Methodist church, when they held a session open to the public, and the attendance was quite large. Essays upon the subject of temperance were read by Rev. Mr. Blake, of Pepperell, and Mr. John W. Berry, of Lynn, and the session closed after a general discussion upon the subjects presented by the essayists.

TIN WEDDING.—Last Monday evening Dr. Ephraim Cutter and wife celebrated the tenth anniversary of their marriage—tin wedding— at their residence on Pleasant street. A large and happy party gathered to congratulate the couple upon the arrival of the first "decade" as it might be termed, in their history, and articles of every shape and kind of tin manufacture, were presented as tokens of regard. The occasion was a happy one to all who participated.

MUSICAL.—The notice was given in last week's paper, that on Sunday there would be singing in the 1st Congregational church by a choir, and the hopes of hearing good singing which were indulged in were not disappointed. Miss Jennie M. Keyes, the leading soprano, has a voice of great sweetness and much power, and her clear enunciation is one marked feature of her singing and is a charm added to good music which is too often sacrificed by musical artists. The choruses were well executed, and Mr. Clarke may well feel pleased with the result of his labors to build up or re-organize the choir. It only now remains for each member of the choir to be in his or her place both at rehearsal and public service, to build up a reputation for good singing which will have a tendency to draw many to the house of worship who would not otherwise be found there. Next Sunday morning, after the sermon, Mr. Clark will introduce a solo and chorus of his own composition, a piece adapted to Miss Keyes' voice, and bringing out the organ. Few instruments are capable of such expressive and sublime effects, as this instrument.

—The assertion that the high tariff of prices which has prevailed for so long a time in every article of the necessaries of life is due to the high price of labor, so often heard expressed, is senseless and foolish. Never has the working class found it so hard to make both ends meet, as at the present time, and we do not wonder that as a class they dread the approach of the long, hard winter now so rapidly drawing upon us. The colossal fortunes which capital has built up during the past few years, have been wrung out of the bone and sinew of the country, and it is they who are *paying* the government tax about which manufacturers and merchants growl. It is true that they pay over to the collector of internal revenue the sum assessed on their sales or manufactures, but in most cases,—in fact, in almost all cases,—not only is the amount of this tax added to the price of the goods, but a *little* more, to help make up for bad debts, and it is the case that to the capitalist this tax on their money is often a large source of gain. Ten dollars a week would procure more comforts and better provide for a family six years ago than twenty dollars will now, and yet wages have by no means doubled. So long as government continues to flood the country every three or six months with millions of currency as interest money, and speculators can control these vast sums and hoard the necessaries of life in vast storehouses only to dole them out as the market demands, so long will this great burden upon the producing class have to be borne, but do not try to make them believe that they have to pay an advance of three or four times on former prices, simply because they receive three or four dollars per week more than formerly.

ACCIDENT. — Last Monday morning Mr. L. B. Norris stepped upon a spoke of one of the hind wheels to a hay wagon, just as the horse attached to it started, and his foot was jammed against the wagon, spraining the ankle quite seriously. Assistance being close at hand, the horse was stopped almost immediately, else the result must have been much worse.

PROTRACTED MEETING.—During the whole of last week, meetings were held in the Methodist church every evening, and crowds have attended, many out of idle curiosity, but many more who are seeking a solution of the question "what shall I do to be saved," make up an interesting audience. Much good has already been accomplished.

THE WEATHER.—The early part of this week has been quite warm, compared with the first few days of last week, when the mercury sank to only 26 degrees above zero. Our streets are getting quite dusty, and the threatened rain of Tuesday and Wednesday is much needed.

CHANGE OF TIME.—Next Monday the usual fall change will be made in the time of running the trains on the Woburn Branch, the trains leaving Woburn as follows: A. M.—6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 900; P. M.—1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15. On Wednesday a train will leave Woburn at 10.15, P. M. Leave Boston:—A. M.—6.45, 7.00, 11.30, 12,15. P. M.—3.00, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30. On Wednesdays the last train will leave Boston at 11.30, and on Saturdays at 10.00, P. M.

RESULT OF COUNCIL.—The result of the council in the case of Rev. J. E. Swallow, *vs.* 1st Cong. church, has been made up and delivered, and will appear in full in the *Congregationalist* of next week.

—The Buckleys performed before a crowded house, on Wednesday evening. A large number were forced to go away, unable to find even admission into the hall. It is singular nothing but a "nigger show" will draw any kind of a house in this town.

PERSONAL.—Rev. Dr. Bodwell and family have returned to town for a short time.

TARGET SHOOT.—Co. G, 5th Regt. M. V. M., will have a grand parade and target shoot on Thursday, the 18th inst. An invitation has been extended to the "Phalanx Associates" to join them, and they voted to accept the same, at a meeting held last Tuesday evening. It is the desire of the company that *all* past members of the "Phalanx" participate with them in this parade, and special invitations will be sest to all whose names can be obtained, but as the rolls of the old organizations are in the possession of Mr. H. N. Hastings, and he being in Oregon, some names may be omitted. Any such will please consider this notice as an invitation. The company will turn out in full uniform, and be accompanied by a band of music. This promises to be the most imposing military parade Woburn has witnessed for a long time.

LUKE R. BOUT.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

WILMINGTON, Oct. 9th, 1866.

An effort has been in progress for some time past to awaken the good people of this town to a sense of their duties in the cause of total abstinence from all which can intoxicate, which resulted in the formation of a new Lodge, of the order of Good Templars, to be called "No License" Lodge, No. 189, (a name peculiarly appropriate at the present time).

The Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge, Bro. Lithgow, aided by Bro. W. P. Pierce, performed the beautiful ceremony of institution and installation.

About thirty members of the Order from "Safe Home" and "Good Mission" lodges, of Andover, were present in regalia, and added much to the interest of the occasion. Speeches were made by Bro's Lithgow, Pierce, Davis, Macomber, and others, which were highly applauded for their sound temperance sentiments, and were full of encouragement for the future. The fact stated by the Grand Secretary, that the Order of Good Templers numbered in this state alone, over 200 lodges, and over 20,000 members, was certainly cheering.

The officers of the Lodge for the present term, are, Geo. Pearson, W. C. T.; Hattie Nichols, W. V. T.; John N. Eames, Chap.; Warren Eames, Sec'y.

I do not know the whole of them, but will send them in our next. The lodge will meet for the present at the Town Hall, on each Friday evening, at 7 o'clk. The lodge numbers about 30, but we are determined to make it during the next quarter more than double its numbers. Will not the good people of this town all unite, and contribute not only to their influence, but by their *membership* to help forward the good work which has been begun so auspiciously, and make this lodge not only a credit but an honor to this ancient town. Arrangements are in progress for a series of Temperance Lectures, by able speakers, before the lodge, which will be duly announced.

DEATH OF RAREY THE FAMOUS HORSE TAMER. — John S. Rarey died suddenly at Cleveland, on the 4th inst. Last December he had a stroke of paralysis, since which time he had been treated by several prominent physicians. On Thursday at 2 P. M., he left the Waddell House for a walk, but soon returned, complaining of a pain in the head. After being seated a few minutes he exclaimed, "I am dying," and in about an hour he expired.

Garibaldi has issued a circular stating that he has run in debt to the amount of some $21,000 on undertaking his expedition for the liberation of Italy, and says that though the persons to whom he is indebted do not press their demands, they nevertheless will be greatly troubled and some of them ruined by their non-payment. He therefore appeals to the public for the amount to the disgrace of the Italian government, which ought to assume the paltry debt.

In private letters from Madrid it is mentioned that at the news of each successive victory of the Prussians over the Austrians, Queen Isabella of Spain, shed tears, and broke out into lamentations. "It is all over with us!" she is reported to have exclaimed, "with the Pope, with Austria, with all of us! The heretics, the Protestants, triumph." Like Antonelli, her most Catholic Majesty thought the world was going to "cascade."

THE ORIENTAL.—Leonard Thompson, Jr., has the Oriental Stove for sale. See advertisement.

They sell goods on a new plan at No. 20 Temple Place, Boston. See advertisement.

CHEAP.—Charles A. Smith, at his store, Bank Building, is selling Russia Crash at 12 1-2 cents per yard. Cheap enough.

At Currier's, 94 Hanover street, Boston, they are selling Thibets and other seasonable goods at very low prices. See advertisement.

Married

In Woburn, 10th inst., by Rev. M. M. Parkhurst, Mr. George H. Healey, to Miss Nellie McCarty.

Died

In Woburn, Oct. 6, Mrs. Maria Manning, aged 33 years, 7 months. Oct. 7, Michael Raverty, aged 58 years. Oct. 8, Mr. Noah Eaton, aged 78 years.

In Wilmington, Oct. 8, Jonathan Eames, aged 66 years, 5 months, 27 days.

In Billerica, Oct. 9, Betsey C. Beard, aged 64 yrs. 1 month, 24 days.

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Any book published in the United States sent free by mail on receipt of advertised price.

James Campbell,
MUSEUM BUILDING,
18 TREMONT STREET, BOSTON.
oct13—1m

Piano Fortes for Sale,
WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.
Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.
Please address, or apply to
CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.
oct13—6m

Woburn Gas Light Company.
NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of six per cent. has been declared, payable at the Company's Office, on and after October 15th, to all persons holding stock on the first day of October, 1866.
AARON THOMPSON, Treasurer.
Woburn, Oct. 13th, 1866. tf

WANTED.
A SITUATION by a Girl to do sewing and take care of children. Apply at F. B. DODGE'S Jewelry store, Main street, Woburn. oct 13—1t*

Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,
Immediately.
Apply at P. TEARE'S.
oct13—tf

Received this Day:
ONE BALE
RUSSIA CRASH,
At 12 1-2 Cents per yard!
CHAS. A. SMITH,
Bank Building.
Woburn, Oct. 13, 1866.

AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK
OF
MILLINERY

MRS. L. M. DALTON has fitted up the store recently occupied by Mr. Carnes, and stocked it with an ENTIRE NEW STOCK of MILLINERY.
She has on hand a full and complete set of stamps for embroidery stamping, and will attend promptly to all orders.
Wade Block, cor. Main & Park Sts.
oct13—3t

TO THE RUBBER SOLE SHOE COMPANY, a corporation duly organized under the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and having its place of business at Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth aforesaid:
Please take notice that it is my intention, for breach of the condition thereof, to foreclose the mortgage on personal property made and executed by you to me. Said mortgage is dated the twenty-fifth day of September, A. D., 1865, and is recorded in the Town Clerk's office in said town of Stoneham, in Book of Mortgages, No. 3, Page 212.
Dated this ninth day of October, A.D., 1866.
W. M. BAILEY,
Trustee, Mortgagee.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF
Dwelling House and Land!
IN READING.

BY virtue of a license from the Probate Court of Middlesex County, I shall sell at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of October, at 4 o'clk, P. M., on the premises, the large two-story house and sheds, with 1 acre of land, on High street, directly opposite the depot of the B. & M. R. Road, belonging to the heirs of the late Loca Parker. Said house is commodious. It has 22 large rooms, arranged for two or four families, all finished in good order. For full particulars, inquire of HARRISON PARKER, Guardian, 173 Blackstone street, Boston, or of WM. H. TEMPLE, Auctioneer, in Reading.
oct13—3t*

WILLCOX & GIBBS'
SEWING MACHINES,
STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,
Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,
AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.

A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.
Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.
CALL AND SEE THEM.
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CARPET BUYERS
Are invited to examine a large consignment of the
NEWEST STYLES
—OF—
ENGLISH AND DOMESTIC
CARPETINGS,
For sale at RETAIL at WHOLESALE PRICES, by
William H. Browne,
PAVILION CARPET ROOMS,
53 & 55 Tremont Street,
(In the rear of McGilvray's Auction Rooms.)
N. B.—CARPETS LEASED. oct 13—1m

20 TEMPLE PLACE.

LADIES, ATTENTION.
DRESS GOODS
OF
THIS SEASON'S IMPORTATION,
COMPRISING
The most Elegant and Fashionable Styles,
AT
FORCED SALE!
TO DISPOSE OF THESE GOODS
At the Earliest Day Possible.
The Following Great Inducement
Is Offered for Public Patronage:

You can buy what you want, and pay for it just as you would do in any store. You can then go to the Cashier, who has 30 Checks, numbered from one up to thirty in regular order. As you come up to him he will take in his hand one of these checks, which you know must be some one of the thirty numbers. You can then GUESS what one of the numbers it is, and if it prove to be the number you guessed it to be, he will pay you back your money, and as a matter of course you will get your goods for NOTHING. If you fail to guess correctly, *you lose not a single penny*, as you still have the goods for LESS than any other store in Boston will sell them.

Come and examine for yourselves. The inducements we offer are the

Lowest Prices!

to be found in Boston, and a wholly fair and honorable chance to get your goods for

NOTHING!

Don't pay any attention to the statements made by those who wish to sell their own goods, but EXAMINE for yourselves. If you will, you cannot fail to see that our goods

Are the CHEAPEST to be found in the City of Boston.

REMEMBER
20 Temple Place.
oct13—4t

FURS!
M. WALKO & CO.

Respectfully inform their Friends and Customers, that their well selected stock of

FURS,

Manufactured by M. WALKO personally is now ready for inspection. Also wish to inform Ladies who have

Old Furs to Alter or Repair,

not to leave it too late in the season, as the earlier they are brought the better attention can be paid to them.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE—NOT IN THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, AS FORMERLY, BUT DIRECTLY OPPOSITE NEXT DOOR TO HOVEY & CO.'S., Boston.

Also, a good assortment of
LADIES' & CHILDREN'S HATS,
LADIES' RIDING HATS.
oct13—3t

FURS! FURS!

Ladies who have FURS that need REPAIRING or ALTERING, are reminded that now is the best time to have them done; and the subscribers are now prepared to execute all orders for

REPAIR OR ALTERATIONS OF
FURS,
OR FOR NEW WORK, IN THE BEST MANNER AND AT SHORT NOTICE.

BARNUM & WIGHT,
Mercantile Building...Summer St. Boston.
FORMERLY WALKO & BARNUM.
oct 13—3t

CARPETS. CARPETS.
AT LOW PRICES!

Quick Sales can be made if the prices are low.

We have concluded to sell our large stock at some price or other THIS MONTH.

BRUSSELS,	COMMON ALL WOOL,
VELVETS,	OIL CLOTHS,
THREE-PLYS,	MATTINGS,
KIDDERMINSTER,	BOCKINGS, &C.

A lot of ALL WOOL CARPETS at $1.12 1-2.

F. B. WENTWORTH & CO.,
66 HANOVER STREET,
Under the American House.
oct 13—1m

New Millinery Rooms.
MISSES C. M. ADAMS & L. HARDY,
(Late with J. W. Coverly & Co.,)
Would respectfully inform their friends and customers that they have taken rooms at
120 Tremont St., Boston,
Where they would be happy to serve those who may favor them with their patronage. All orders promptly and faithfully executed.
Rooms No. 10 and 11. oct 13—1m

WINE, GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE
Thibet, $1,
—AT—
CURRIER'S.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS
AT BIG BARGAINS!
—AT—
CURRIER'S,
94 Hanover Street, Boston.
oct 13—1m

SALE OF THE RACE-HORSE KENTUCKY.—We learn on good authority that the renowned racer Kentucky has been sold by Messrs. Osgood & Travers, his owners, to Mr. Leonard W. Jerome, for the princely sum of $40,000. He will probably retire from the turf, on which his career has been so brilliantly successful, and be devoted to perpetuate at the stud the matchless speed and endurance which has made his name imperishable in the annals of the American turf. He never met defeat but once, and that was when utterly out of condition, when he was beaten by his famous half brother Norfolk, in the Jersey Derby of 1864. His winnings in purse and stakes alone amount to over $110,000. He was bred by Mr. John M. Clay, of Kentucky, after which State he was named, and was sold by that gentleman, after winning the two-year-old stake at the Paterson Fall meeting of 1863, along with his half brother Arcola, to Messrs. Osgood & Travers, for the sum of $7000. He has ever since been trained in Mr. Hunter's stable, that gentleman taking one-half of his winnings for the expense of training. As a pacer, Kentucky may justly be considered the equal of his great sire, Lexington.—*N. Y. Times.*

Why was Eve created? For Adam's *Express* Company.

GOING INTO BUSINESS TOO YOUNG. It has been the wisdom of experienced minds that a young man makes a great mistake by entering into business for himself too young. They launch off upon an untried sea, without a compass, a rudder or an oar, and they are soon tossed about at the mercy of every contending billow, or finally dashed in ruins upon some rugged peak.

To face the world, you must know the world. The youth who pounces by a single bound into the arena of commercial contention and competition, finds himself outshot by the old marksmen in the exciting contest. He may bet upon the issue, and with each loss be only the more excited by laying down his stakes, but he soon dies forlorn game to the practised *artiste*.

Proper ambition should not be checked; but let the youth learn of the world ere he undertakes to be of the world. Get its wisdom—aye, get its worldly wisdom, for it is necessary to carry you successfully over the ocean of adventure.

Many young men are ruined by rushing too precipitately into business—getting involved in debt, and finally breaking down under the load,—than in any other way. They are apt to go too fast into their prospects, and then their prospects go too fast for them.

Statistics of the Pencil Trade.—The number of black lead pencils made in Keswick, England, is twenty-five thousand per week, that is about thirteen millions per annum. At an average length of seven inches this would give fourteen hundred and thirty-six and one quarter miles of black lead and cedar. The cedar annually consumed amounts to twelve thousand cubic feet, and the yellow pine in due proportion. The plumbago is partly the produce of the Borrowdale mine and partly from Mexico and Peru. The number of hands employed is two hundred, and their highest wages vary from 15s. to 20s. per week.

For sale at

Public Auction.

A small STABLE 14 by 12 ft. is of suitable size to finish into two rooms.

Also, one other building, 14 x 16 ft., convenient for a good shed, &c. The above are situated just south of the coal yard, and will be sold on SATURDAY, Oct. 20th, at 5 o'clock, P. M. Sale positive, without regard to weather or price.

Per order.

oct13—2t J. E. LITTLEFIELD.

Last Closing-out Sale

OF

Boots & Shoes,

AT

GOLDTHWAIT'S

Boot & Shoe Depot.

Store to be vacated on the First of November.

We now offer $10,000 worth of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers,

At such rates as will insure their immediate sale, as we are determined not to remove them. If you are in want of any kind for yourself or family, here is the opportunity to get them at a Bargain. Read the prices at which we are selling some of the many varieties.

MEN'S CALF SEWED BOOTS, $5.50, worth $8.00
MEN'S CALF TAP SOLED BOOTS, $4.00, worth $6.00.

MEN'S THICK BOOTS,	$3.50,	worth $5.00
MEN'S GRAIN BOOTS,	4.00, "	6.00
MEN'S BALMORALS,	2.50, "	4.00
MEN'S CONGRESS BOOTS,	2.25, "	3.25
MEN'S BUCKLE SHOES,	2.00, "	3.50

MEN'S SLIPPERS, BROGANS, OXFORD TIES, &c., &c., at equally low rates.

BOY'S BOOTS,	$1.50 to 3.00, worth $2.50 to 5.00
YOUTH'S BOOTS,	1.25 to 2.00, worth $1.75 to 2.25

LADIES' CALF BALMORALS, $2.50, worth $3.50

LADIES' GRAIN BALMORALS,	$1.75,	worth 2.50
LADIES' GOAT BALMORALS,	1.50, "	2.50
LADIES' SERGE CONGRESS,	1.25, "	2.00
LADIES' SERGE BALMORALS	1.50, "	2.25

LADIES' SERGE DOUBLE SOLES, $2.00, worth $2.75
LADIES' BUSKINS, SLIPPERS, &c., &c., at all sorts of prices.
MISSES' LEATHER BALMORALS, At $1.50 and $1.75
MISSES' SERGE CONGRESS, SINGLE AND DOUBLE, at $1.50 to $2.00
With the usual variety of CHILDREN'S SHOES, many of which we sell at HALF PRICE.

Bear in mind that this Sale cannot possibly continue after November 1st.

GOLDTHWAIT'S

Boot & Shoe Depot,

Cor. Hanover & Blackstone sts.,

oct13—2t BOSTON.

LEARNARD & HARTLEY,

Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture,

AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also,

WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT THE—

OLD STAND,

136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,

oct 13—3m BOSTON.

Bargains! Bargains!

—IN—

SHAWLS, BALMORALS

—AND—

BLACK SILKS,

CURRIER'S.

oct 13—1m 94 Hanover St., Boston.

The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two

HARRISON'S PERISTALIC LOZENGES

regularly every night, you will get rid of COSTIVENESS, which is the cheaf cause of PILES, either bleeding or blind. We want every person to try our Lozenges, and they will thank us for calling their attention to them. One after dinner or supper banishes every form of Indigestion. Two move the bowels once only, and never gripe, or require increase of dose, thus differing from all PILLS.

For HABITUAL CONSTIPATION they excel every other remedy.

J. S. HARRISON & CO., Proprietors,

No. 1 Tremont Temple, Boston.

Sold everywhere, or will be mailed on inclosing 60 cents. oct 13 —1y

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SUCCESSOR TO

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Nos. 90, 92 & 94 Tremont street, *BOSTON.*

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New Rooms Over his Retail Store,

Will on Wednesday, Oct. 3, open a

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OF

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HATS & BONNETS,

FOR

Ladies, Misses & Children.

☞ We call the attention of Ladies to this New Department of our business, with the assurance that we will be able to give the BEST STYLES, and that prices shall be full 38 PER CENT. LOWER than any other house in town.

Every Article Warranted as Represented.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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Buy Your

FLOUR,

GRAIN

AND

Groceries

OF

Stearns, Hart & Co.

REOPENED.

MANSFIELD'S

BOOT & SHOE EMPORIUM

Having been closed for repairs, is now open with a prime assortment of Goods suitable for the coming season, and at prices that will defy all competition.

Ladies' Double Sole Cloth Boots.	$2.50
" " " Calf "	3.00
" Rubbers	1.00
Miss and Children's Boots for School, stout and cheap.	
Men's Cf. Double Sole Boots	5.00
Boys' " " "	3.50
Youths' " " "	3.00
Women's Rubbers	1.25

And everything else equally low, Will be happy to show Goods.

MANSFIELD'S

14 TREMONT ROW, Boston.

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MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!

AND

FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,

WOBURN.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

FOR breach of condition, and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Nathaniel R. Maxwell to Samuel S. Richardson, dated the 21st day of September, A. D., 1855, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Registry of Deeds, lib. 723, fol. 314; will be sold at public auction on Monday, the 22d day of October instant, between the hours of two and three o'clock in the afternoon, the premises described in said mortgage deed, consisting of a one-and-a-half story cottage dwelling house, with land adjoining, well stocked with fruit trees.

The sale will be at the dwelling formerly occupied by Nathaniel R. and Wm. D. Maxwell, on the premises, in the easterly part of Winchester, County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

By order of the Mortgagee.

JOSIAH HOVEY, Auctioneer.

Winchester, Oct. 1, 1866.—oct6—3t

REDUCTION IN PRICE

OF THE

American Watches,

Made at WALTHAM, Mass.

In consequence of recent great improvements in our facilities for manufacturing we have reduced our prices to as low a point as they can be placed

With Gold at Par,

so that no one need hesitate to buy a watch now from the expectation that it will be cheaper at some future time. The test of ten years, and the manufacture and sale of

More than 200,000 Watches,

have given our productions the very highest rank among time keepers. Commencing with the determination to make only thoroughly excellent watches, our business has steadily increased as the public became more acquainted with their value, until, for months together, we have been unable to supply the demand. We have repeatedly enlarged our factory buildings until they cover over three acres of ground, and give accommodation to more than eight hundred workmen.

We are fully justified in saying that we now make ☞ MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF ALL THE WATCHES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES. The different grades are distinguished by the following trade-marks on the plate:

1. "American Watch Co." Waltham, Mass.
2. "Appleton, Tracy & Co." Waltham, Mass.
3. "P. S. Bartlett," Waltham Mass.
4. "Wm. Ellery."
5. OUR LADIES' WATCH of the first quality is named "Appleton, Tracy & Co." Waltham, Mass.
6. Our next quality of Ladies' Watch is named "P. S. Bartlett," Waltham, Mass. These watches are furnished in a great variety of sizes and styles of cases.

The American Watch Co., of Waltham, Mass., authorize us to state that without distinction of trade-marks or price,

ALL THE PRODUCTS OF THEIR FACTORY ARE FULLY WARRANTED

to be the best time-keepers of their class ever made in this or any other country. Buyers should remember that unlike the guarantee of a foreign maker who can never be reached, this guarantee is good at all times against the Company or their agents, and that after the most thorough trial, any watch should prove defective in any particular, it may be always exchanged for another. As the American Watches made at Waltham are for sale by dealers generally throughout the country, we do not solicit orders for single watches.

CAUTION.—The public are cautioned to buy only of respectable dealers. All persons selling counterfeits will be prosecuted.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,

AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY,

182 BROADWAY, N.Y.

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HUNNEWELL'S

UNIVERSAL COUGH REMEDY.

Ten Years have clearly proved that the theory of simplicity, the great element of this splendid preparation, which allows its use whenever there is tickling or irritation in the Throat, and producing no debility, is the only and true theory by which *Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, Bronchial Complaints*, and all *Throat Affections*, which, if neglected, end in *Consumption*, can be effectually cured.

☞ *Sore Throat*, the great origin of *Diphtheria*, when neglected, is cured by making a *Gargle* with equal parts of water.

☞ *Whooping Cough* is completely relieved of its violence by a constant use of the remedy.

☞ Testimonials of undoubted character can be seen at my office by all.

Small Bottles, 25 cts. Large do. 50 cts.

☞ Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Medicine.

JOHN L. HUNNEWELL, Proprietor.

Practical Chemist, 9 Commercial Wharf, Boston, Mass. oct6—1m

Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.

oct 6—3m

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Malaria Everywhere.

Rarely has there been a season as fruitful as this of malarious diseases. Not only on the prairies and in the valleys of the West; not merely in all the old haunts of Fever and Ague and Billious Remittent Fever have these prostrating diseases been unusually virulent; but they have extended to towns and cities never before infested with them, and have even ascended the mountains and attacked thousands of people supposed to have been placed by the laws of Nature above their reach. Hence we are compelled to admit that a fatal element pervades the Universal Air this season, and should at once resort to the only approved preventive of its consequences,

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS,

a tonic so potent, an anti-septic so perfect, an alterative so irresistible, and a stimulant so pure, that it enables the human system to resist and baffle all the predisposing causes of disease. With the confidence that one clothed in incombustible garments might move among blazing buildings, the man who arms himself against malaria with this powerful *defensive medicine* may walk a fever-scourged district fearless of its insalubrious atmosphere. The intermittents and remittents at present so general in all parts of the country may be but the forerunners of a deadlier scourge now on its way westward from the far East. Prepare the system with

HOSTETTER'S BITTERS

for a successful battle with the mephitic causes of *all epidemics*. Be wise in time. Sold everywhere. —*New York World, Nov.* 6, 1865.

sept 15—1m

E. F CUSHMAN,

SUCCESSOR TO

CUSHMAN & BROOKS,

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Tremont Street,

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EVERY DEPARTMENT in our Stock is now full.

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS;

RICH RIBBONS, PARIS FLOWERS, BEAUTIFUL PLUMES;

GLOVES, HOSIERY, LADIES' AND GENTS' UNDER-GARMENTS;

EMBROIDERIES, LACES, WHITE GOODS;

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS;

COTTONS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS,

SMALL WARES, &c., &c.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

AT OUR VERY LOW PRICES.

☞ Every article warranted as represented.

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PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER,

As an internal remedy, has no equal. In case of Cholera, Summer Complaint, Dyspepsia, Dysentery, Asthma, it cures in one night, by taking it internally, and bathing with it freely. It is the best liniment in America. Its action is like magic, when externally applied to bad sores, burns, scalds, and sprains. For the sick headache and toothache, don't fail to try it. In short, it is a Pain Killer.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—This medicine has become an article of commerce, a thing no medicine ever became before. Pain Killer is as much an item in every bale of goods sent to country merchants as tea, coffee, or sugar. This speaks volumes in its favor.—GLENS FALLS MESSENGER.

sept 29—1m

PERMANENT AND WIDE-SPREAD SUCCESS IS THE BEST EVIDENCE OF THE GOODNESS OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS.—They should be in every family, ready for use on the first symptoms of disease occurring. This method will often save life. Remember, the

CHOLERA MUST BE TREATED AS A POISON,

and your safety demands it should be got rid of without delay. Colds, rehumatism, asthma, pleurisy, diarrhœa, colics, in fact, all sickness is the consequence of active impurities in the blood. These being removed, the health is restored at once.

Observe my name in the Government stamp in white letters. Sold by Druggist.

sept 29—1m B. BRANDRETH.

THE MOON'S VOLCANOES

are engaging the attention of astronomers but the world of Beauty and Fashion is less interested in human discoveries than in the great question of

TURNING THE HEADS

that have been whitened by age or sickness to a glorious black or brown hue. Nobody now is such

A LUNATIC,

as not to admit that the finest and most harmless hair darkner in existence is

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE,

which nourishes the fibres as well as changes their hue. Manufactured by S. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers.

sept 29—1m

A HUMBUG.

HOW OFTEN WE HEAR THIS EXPRESSION from persons reading advertisements of Patent Medicines, and in nine cases out of ten they may be right. It is over 19 years since I introduced my medicine, the VENETIAN LINIMENT, to the public. I had no money to advertise it, so I left it for sale with a few druggists and storekeepers through a small section of the country, many taking it with great reluctance; but I told them to let any one have it, and if it did not do all I stated on my pamphlet, no one need pay for it. In some stores two or three bottles were taken on trial by persons present. I was, by many, thought crazy, and that would be the last they would see of me. But I knew my medicine was no humbug. In about two months I began to receive orders for more Liniment, some calling it my valuable Liniment, who had refused to sign a receipt when I left it at their store. Now my sales are millions of bottles yearly, and all for cash. I warrant it superior to any other medicine for the cure of Croup, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Vomiting, Spasms, and Sea sickness, as an internal remedy. It is perfectly innocent to take internally, see oath accompanying each bottle,—and externally for Chronic Rhumatism, Headache, Mumps, Frosted Feet, Bruises, Sprains, Old Sores, Swellings, Sore Throats, &c., &c. Sold by all the Druggists. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

sept 29—7w

J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST,

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A Journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party. J. M. T.

Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

NOW

OPENING:

DRESS GOODS,

BLANKETS,

FLANNELS,

WOOLENS,

COTTONS,

&c. &c.

And in all Departments, a Great Variety, and at the

Lowest Prices.

Chas. A. Smith,

BANK BUILDING, Woburn.

Sept. 14th, 1866.

A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,

BEING AN

EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH

CLOCK AND WATCH

MAKER,

AS ALSO

JEWELRY DEALER,

would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,

MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE COMMON.

All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,

AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,

And the safer Class of Risks, Insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

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No. 164 WASHINGTON ST.,

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IMPORTERS OF

CARPETINGS

in every variety of style & quality.

PURCHASERS AT RETAIL

SHOULD EXAMINE THEIR STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

FOWLE & CO.,

164 Washington Street.

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W. B. ELLIS & CO.,

No. 28 Bromfield Street, . . Boston,

OFFER AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL,

A large assortment of

WINDOW SHADES,
LACE CURTAINS and
UPHOLSTERY GOODS.

New Goods constantly received.

Drapery Curtains put up in the best manner, at reasonable prices.

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,

oct6—4t 28 BROMFIELD STREET.

"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,

INSURANCE AGENT,

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House and Land For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to

EDWARD W. BROOKS.

Woburn, Oct. 6th, 1866. 2t*

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

NEW

FISH MARKET.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of

FRESH AND SALT FISH,

OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,

and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.

All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage. JAMES A. YOUNG.

Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

Choice English

Breakfast Tea,

FOR SALE BY

URBANE DERBY.

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BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

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S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,

dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

WHY WILL YOU SUFFER?

The remedy is within reach of all. *Smolander's Compound Fluid Extract of Buchu*, will cure you of all *Kidney Diseases, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy*, and *Chronic Gonorrhœa* and will renew and restore your exhausted and failing energies. If you have been a too eager *votary of pleasure* nothing will do you so much good as *Smolander's Extract Buchu*. For many diseases incident to females, *Smolander's Buchu* is a sure and sovereign remedy. *Get the Genuine. Price Only One Dollar.*

Sold by W. C. BRIGHAM,

and Apothecaries generally.

BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, General Agents.

ASK FOR SMOLANDER'S BUCHU.

June30

$2,000 A YEAR made by any one with $15 Stencil Tools. No experience necessary. The Presidents, Cashiers and Treasurers of 3 Banks endorse the circular. Sent free with samples. Address the American Stencil Tool Worm, Springfield, Vermont. jy28—3k

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Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,

dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from *whatever cause*. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR.

jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

HORACE COLLAMORE

DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK, Woburn Centre.

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

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HEALTH AND WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

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DR. S. STOCKING,

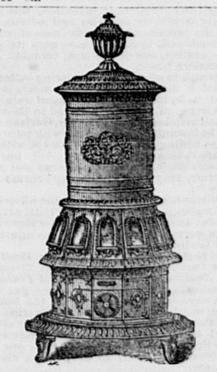
DENTAL SURGEON,

Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

No. 16 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.

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THE IMPROVED ORIENTAL

Base Burning Coal Stoves,

and Parlor Furnaces,

Have received Four First Class Premiums at the New York State and other Fairs. Also, the great SILVER MEDAL at the Fair of the American Institute held in the City of New York, 1865.

THEY ARE PERPETUAL BURNERS, ONLY ONE FIRE BEING REQUIRED TO BE MADE DURING THE SEASON.

THEY ARE PERFECT VENTILATORS OF THE APARTMENT.

THERE CAN BE NO ESCAPE OF GAS FROM THEM.

THERE CAN BE NO CLINKER OR SLAG TO OBSTRUCT.

THE FIRE WILL REMAIN FOR DAYS WITHOUT ATTENTION.

THE ILLUMINATION IS EQUAL TO AN "OPEN FIRE."

THEY ARE POWERFUL HEATERS AND YET PERFECTLY ADAPTED TO MILD WEATHER.

THEY ARE THE MOST ECONOMICAL STOVES AND FURNACES EVER MADE.

THE FURNACE WILL HEAT SATISFACTORILY, BOTH AN UPPER AND A LOWER ROOM, WITHOUT ADDITIONAL FUEL.

Eight Sizes of the Stoves, and Three Sizes of the Parlor Furnaces.

Manufactured and for Sale to the Trade by

PERRY & CO.,

ORIENTAL STOVE WORKS,

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For sale in Woburn, by

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ARTHUR W. HOBART,

General Agent for the

Niagara Insurance Co.,

OF NEW YORK CITY,

and the

Atlantic Insurance Company,

OF PROVIDENCE, R. I.,

PRESENTS an abstract of the Returns made to the Insurance Commissioners of Massachusetts, Nov. 1, 1865, in compliance with Act of June 3d, 1865.

RETURN OF NIAGARA,

(Fire and Inland), New York.

Amount of Capital actually paid in	$1,000,000 00
Number of shares	20,000
Par value of each share	$50 00
Amount of Fire Risks outstanding	22,397,400 00
" Marine Risks "	.....
Total amount of outstanding risks	22,397,400 00
Amount of U.S. Stocks & Treas. Notes	412,262 50
" State Stocks	8,760 00
" Bank Stocks (market value)	.....
" Real Estate (cash value)	44,000 00
" Cash on hand and in bank	23,779 68
" due from agents	48,196 11
" loaned on mort'ge of real est.	268,200 00
" " collateral	349,000 00
" all other investm'ts and debts due the Company	26,853 17
Amount of premium notes on risks terminated	.....
Amount of borrowed money	.....
" losses claimed and unpaid	5,000 00
" reported, upon which the liability of the Co. is not determ'd	15,000 00
Amount of all other claims against the Company	1,662 61
Amount of cash received for premiums on fire risks	325,671 68
do. do. on marine risks	.....
do. of notes rec'd for premium on fire risks,	.....
do. marine risks,	.....
Amount cash rec'd for interest	74,381 98
" incomes from all other sources	107,889 87
" fire losses paid last year	195,602 12
" marine losses paid last year	.....
" dividends paid last year	108,829 50
" expenses of office	74,321 33
" other expenditures	32,004 94
" cash received for fire risks not terminated	209,193 31
" required to re-insure all outstanding risks	90,000 00
" premium notes on risks not terminated	.....
Highest rate of interest received	7 3-10 per ct.
" " " paid on money borrowed	.....
Balance to credit of profit & loss acct	88,751 26
Balance of surplus	54,732 40

RETURN OF ATLANTIC,

(Fire and Marine), Providence, R. I.

Amount of Capital actually paid in	$200,000 00
Number of shares	4000
Par value of each share	$50 00
Amount of Fire Risks outstanding	7,000,366 00
" Marine Risks outstanding	133,858 00
Total amount of outstanding risks	7,134,224 00
Amount of U.S. stocks & Treas. Notes	20,400 00
" State Stocks	.....
" Bank Stocks (market value)	225,050 00
" Real Estate (cash value)	.....
" cash on hand and in bank	5,464 41
" due from agents	7,261 98
" loaned on mort'ge of real est.	.....
" on collateral	.....
Amount of all other investm'ts and debts due Company	6,633 00
Amount of premium notes on risks terminated	.....
Amount of borrowed money	5,000 00
" losses claimed and unpaid	7,068 06
" reported, upon which the liability of the Co. is not determ'd	8,000 00
Amount of all other claims against the Company	1,762 00
Amount of cash received for premiums on fire risks	80,732 73
do. do. marine risks	7,605 48
Amount of notes received for premiums on fire risks	.....
do. do. marine risks	4,825 04
Amount cash rec'd for interest	1,529 46
" income from all other sources	20,606 50
" fire losses paid last year	57,859 40
" marine " "	931 50
" dividends paid last year	21,836 00
" expenses of office	8,675 30
" other expenditures	14,561 21
" cash received for fire risks not terminated	60,954 57
Amount required to re-insure all outstanding risks	30,477 28
Amount of premium notes on risks not terminated	1,825 00
Highest rate of interest received	7 3-10 per ct.
" " " paid on money borrowed	.....
Balance to credit of profit & loss acct	64,939 36
Balance of surplus	12,502 05

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SILVERINE.

An entirely new invention for instantaneously

SILVER PLATING

ARTICLES OF

BRASS, COPPER, GERMAN SILVER, BRONZE, &c., &c.,

AND FOR

CLEANING AND POLISHING SILVER AND SILVER-PLATED WARE.

Although an entirely new invention, this article has already excited the surprise and admiration of many of the prominent scientific men of the day, and is pronounced, by all who have seen its almost magical operation, one of the most valuable inventions of modern times.

It is a complete electro silver-plating battery in a bottle, and is destined to work wonders in every household; as by its use all silver-plated ware, whose plating is worn off, can be restored to its original beauty, and articles of brass, copper, German silver, etc., can be instantaneously plated with pure silver, at a cost so trifling that no family need be without it.

There are thousands of articles in daily use made of the baser metals, which, by an occasional use of the Silverine, may be made highly ornamental as well as useful.

It is perhaps needless to say that the Silverine, as its name implies, is a preparation of PURE SILVER, and contains *no mercury*, acid, or other ingredients, nor any property in the slightest degree injurious to metals or the hands.

Applied to *Silver-Plated Table Ware, Fruit Dishes, Trays, Castors, Stair Rods, Harness Trimmings, Military Equipments, Door Knobs and Plates, Metalic Window and Show Case Frames, &c.*, whose plating is worn off, it gives them all the beauty of new ware, which will retain if the Silverine is applied as often as such articles are ordinarily cleaned.

Applied to *Copper, Brass or Bronze* articles, it will keep them *beautifully silvered*, with one quarter the trouble required to keep them clean by scouring, etc.

It will also be found to be the best and most economical silver cleaner ever used, producing all the brilliancy of unalloyed silver.

HOWE & STEVENS,

Manufacturers,

NO. 260 BROADWAY, BOSTON, MASS.

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SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

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And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.



ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Apr. 30, 1865, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.30 pm.

Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.30 p. m.

Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.30, p. m.

Nashua, 7.00, 8† am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.30 pm.

Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.30 p m.

Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.

Lowell, 7, 8†, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.30, 6, p.m.

North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.30, 6 p m.

S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 6.00, p m.

Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 6.00 p m.

E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.10, 6, 6.30, pm.

Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.10, 6, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.

West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 5.10, 6, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.10, 6.00, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

*Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 10 p. m.

The Monday Theatre Train is discontinued.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.

Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.

Danforth's Corner, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.

South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.

Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.

Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.

North Chelmsford, 7-22, 8.30, a.m, 12.06, 5.19 p m.

Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.

Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.

North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.22, 5.41, p m.

Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.

Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.

South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.

North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.

Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.

East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.

Winchester at 6.05, 7.05, 7.40, 9.00, 10.24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.

West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.

College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.

*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.

†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2 15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 5.10, 6, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p.m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8-15 p m.

*Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 p.m.

7.32 A. M. from Stoneham Branch, and 7.40 A. M. from Woburn Branch, stop only at Winchester, W. Medford, and E. Cambridge.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham,† at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5-10, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5 52, and 7-32, 8.52, 10.15, A.M, 1.00, 4-52, and 6.22, P M.

† A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays and on Saturdays at 10 p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent.

B. L. and N. & L. R R.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

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The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

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The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

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New Bank Building, Woburn,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he is now located in his new store, where, with increased facilities, he is ready to fill their orders with promptness and despatch.

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made in the best style, and warranted to fit

Particular attention paid to making

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He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.

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WOBURN FISH MARKET.

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

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Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Brice 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.

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Fancy Goods!

IN GREAT VARIETY.

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FOR SALE LOW,

FOR CASH.

J. FRED. LESLIE.

Woburn, June 23, 1866.—tf

DR. C. T. LANG,



Surgeon Dentist,

Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

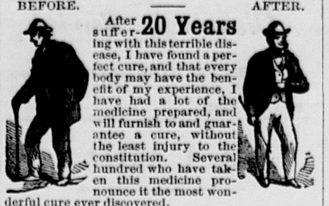
Woburn Centre, Mass.

DR. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

NITROUS OXYD GAS, or SULPHURIC ETHER, Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain.* Charges moderate.

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After suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

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GEORGE O. DALTON, M. D.

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Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,

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Mason & Hamlin's Cabinet Organs.

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Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.

feb3—1y

REMOVAL.

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. He trusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

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ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR at LAW

No. 4 NILES BLOCK, BOSTON

Entrance from Court Square and 33 School St.

Edward K. Willoughby,

HOUSE CARPENTER.

Walnut, near Main Street.

Jobbing promptly attended to, and on reasonable terms.

Woburn, July 14th, 1866. 4m*

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter,

18 OLD STATE HOUSE, Boston.

june23—1y

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

Woburn, Mass., Sept. 8th, 1866. 1y

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt, for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

{ L. S. } TO OWEN CALLAHAN, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any all other persons claiming any interest in

About three gallons of Gin in a jug.

About one half pint of Gin in a bottle,

which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Owen Callahan, in said Woburn, on the third day of October, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear at my office, in said Woburn, at two o'clock, P. M., on the twenty-seventh day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Owen Callahan, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

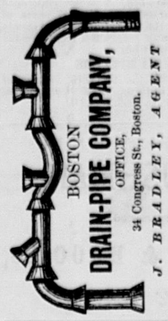
Witness my hand, at Woburn, in said County, this third day of October, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:

JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.

oct6—2t



jy28—3m

CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Parian and Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.



PLATED WARE,

Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,

33 Hanover, near Court street,

jan27—1y BOSTON.

E. P. WHITE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

86 North St., Boston.

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OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
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Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.

aug25—6m

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, JULY 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$300,000.00
Surplus, after deducting all claims,	203,472.58
	$503,472.58
Less Portland claims,	80,000.00
	$423,472.58

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.

aug 25—1y

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

URBANE DERBY.

To Whom it may Concern.

MY wife, Susan M. Minor, has this day left my bed and board, and I forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no bills of her contracting. GEORGE MINOR.

Stoneham, Mass., Sept. 29, 1866. 3t*

Flour, FEED, MEAL AND GRAIN.

HOMINY, SAMP,

GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,

HECKER'S FARINA,

CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford.

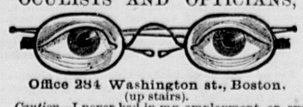
By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

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DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

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ITCH! ITCH! ITCH!

SCRATCH! SCRATCH! SCRATCH!

Wheaton's Ointment

Will Cure the Itch in 48 Hours.

Also cures SALT RHEUM, ULCERS, CHILBLAINS, and all ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN. Price 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

By sending 60 cents to WEEKS & POTTER, Sole Agents, 170 Washington street, Boston, it will be forwarded by mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States. oct28—1y

REMOVAL.

C. S. ADKINS,

DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY,

PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books. Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.

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CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

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COTTONS, all marked down to close.

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RIBBONS, FLOWERS, BONNETS, HATS, &C., &C., all marked WAY DOWN, to close the entire lot during this GRAND CLOSING-OUT SALE.

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IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

Bill-heads printed at this office.

GRAND TRIAL OF

SEWING MACHINES,

(Between the Wilcox & Gibbs and Florence.)

The Willcox & Gibbs Triumphant!

It is declared the best Machine, and awarded the Highest Premium.

For the Willcox & Gibbs Machine, THIRTY-FIVE distinct claims were made for superiority, ALL of which were fully sustained; for the Florence Machine but TEN were presented, only TWO of which were sustained. By this trial, more thorough than any of the kind ever previously attempted, a trial before an able and impartial jury, the justice of whose verdict none can dispute—it has been proved, decided and published to the world, that the Willcox & Gibbs Machine is just what it has claimed to be —AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES. It requires, we think, no prophet to foresee its accelerated progress in the future, or to foretell its ultimate triumph as the recognized STANDARD SEWING MACHINE OF THE WORLD.

Circulars containing a full Report of the Judges and all particulars at this important trial, may be obtained of

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

at Carnes' Millinery Store, Main St., Woburn, where the machine can be seen in operation, and any information given in respect to the same.

July7—tf

NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market

On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,

VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

☞ IN THEIR SEASONS, ☜

POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

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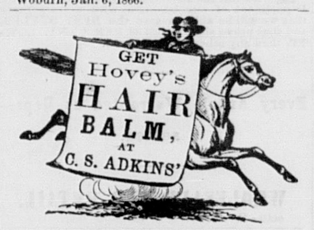
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His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.



AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,

FOR

GENTLEMEN'S

GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING

A SPLENDID STOCK OF

NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF GOODS

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Gentlemen's Garments,

EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT

CHAMBERS

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J. PIERPONT COLLINS.

sept15—3m

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Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.

COME AND GET YOUR TEETH EXTRACTED without pain, by the above anæsthetic, which is, thousands can testify who have tried it, a blessing to the age in which we live. Positively no pain at all, and can be administered, and Teeth extracted, and the patient go about his business in ten minutes' time. All other operations, such as filling and the Pathological treatment of the teeth, together with Artificial teeth of all kinds, done in the best manner and as soon as it can be done properly.

Call and see specimens at my office.

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sept 1—3m

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For Sale.



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Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

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JUST RECEIVED

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ALL GRADES

The very latest styles.

ALSO,

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sept 15—8t

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It is entirely new in principle, is beautiful in design, and of superior workmanship; made by the subscriber of extra smooth, fine, heavy castings, and of entirely new iron of the best quality. It is fitted with or without Extension Tops, Hot Closets, Reservoirs, &c., with a new arrangement, also, of

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Economy in Fuel, Simplicity, Durability, and General Conveniences, were among the objects sought, and which have all been attained in this invention. *This stove must be seen to be appreciated.*

Furnaces, both Brick & Portable,

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sept 22—1m GARDNER CHILSON.

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MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

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[*From the London Punch, Sept.* 4.]

Artemus Ward in London.

HIS FIRST CONTRIBUTION TO PUNCH.

Mr. Punch, My Dear Sir: — You probly didn't meet my uncle Wilyim when he was on these shores. I jedge so from the fact that his pursoots wasn't litrary. Commerce, which it has been trooly observed by a statesman, or somebody, is the foundation stone onto which a nation's greatness rests—glorious commerce, was Uncle Wilyim's fort. He sold soap. It smelt pretty, and readily commanded two pents a cake. I'm the only litirary man in our fam'ly. It is troo, I once had a dear cuzzen who wrote twenty-two versis onto "A Child who nearly Died of the Measles, O!" but as he injoodiciously introjuced a chorious at the end of each stanzy, the paients didn't like it at all. The father in particlar wept afresh, assulted my cuzzen, and said he never felt so ridicklus in his intire life. The onhappy result was that my cuzzen abandind poetry forever, and went back to shoemakin a shattered man.

My Uncle Wilyim disposed of his soap, and returned to his nativ land with a very exalted opinyin of the British public. "It is a edycated community," said he, "they're a intellectooal people. In one small village alone I sold fifty cakes of soap, incloodin barronial balls, where they offered me a ducal coronet, but I said no give it to the poor." This was the way Uncle Wilyim went on. He told us, however, some stories that was rather to much to be eaisly swallered. In fact, my uncle Wilyim was not an emblem of trooth. He retired some years ago on a hansum competency derived from the insurance money he received on a rather shaky skooner he owned, and which burned up while lyin at a wharf one night, the cergo havin fortnitly been removed the day afore the disastriss calamity occurd. Uncle Wilyim said it was one of the most sing'ler things he ever heard of; and, after collectin the insurance money, he bust into a flood of tears and retired to his farm in Pennsylvany. He was my uncle by marriage only. I do not say he wasn't a honest man. I simply say that if you have a uncle and bitter experience tells you it is more profitable in a pecoonery pint of view to put pewter spoons instead of silver ones onto the table when that uncle dines with you in a frenly way—I simply say, there is sumthun wrong in our social sistim, which calls loudly for reform.

I rived on these shores at Liverpool, and proceeded at once to London. I stopt at the Washington Hotel in Liverpool, because it was named in honor of a countryman of mine who didn't get his living by makin' mistakes, and whose mem'ry is dear to civilized peple all over the world, because he was gentle and good, as well as trooly great. We read in history, of a number o' great individooals, but how few of 'em, alars! should we want to take home to supper with us? Among others, I would call your attention to Alexander the Great, who conkered the world, and wept because he couldn't do it some more, and then took to gin-and seltzer, gettin' tight every day afore dinner with the most disgustin' reg'larity, causin' his parunts to regret they hadn't prenticed him in his early youth to a biskit baker, or some other occupation of a peaceful and quiet character. I say, therefore, to the great men now livin' (you could put 'em all into Hyde Park, by the way, and still leave room for a large and respectable concourse of rioters)—be good. I say to that gifted but bald-headed Prooshun, Bismark, be good and gentle in your hour of triumph. I always am. I admit that our lines is different, Bismark's and mine; but the same glo'rous principle is involved.

I am an exhibiter of startlin' curiositys, wax works, snaix, etsetery ("either of whom," as a American statesman, whose name I ain't at liberty to mention for perlitical resins, as he expecks to be a candidate for a prominent offiss, and hence doesn't wish to excite the rage and jelisy of other showmen—"either of whom is wuth dubble the price of admission;") I say I am a exhibiter of startlin' curiositys, and I also have my hours of triumph, but I try to be good in 'em. If you say "Ah, yes, but also your hours of grief and misfortin." I answer, it is troo, and you prob'ly refer to the circumstans of my hirin' a young man of dissypated habits to fix hisself up as a real Cannibal from New Zeelan, and when I was simply tellin' the audience that he was the most feroshus Cannibal of his tribe, and that, alone and unassisted, he had et sev'ril of our fellow-countrymen, and that he had at one time even contemplated eatin his Uncle Thomas on his mother's side, as well as other near and dear relatives—when I was makin' these simple statements, the mis'ble young man said I was a lyer, and knockt me off the platform. Not quite satisfied with this, he cum and trod hevily on me, and as he was a very muscular person and wore remarkable thick boots, I knew at once that a canary bird wasn't walkin' over me.

I admit my ambition overlept herself in this instuns, and I've been very careful ever since to deal square with the public. If I was the public I should insist on squareness, tho' I shouldn't do as a portion of my audience did on the occasion just mentioned, which they was employed in sum naberin' coal mines. "As you han't got no Cannybale to show us, old man," said one of 'em, who seemed to be a kind of leader among 'em—a tall, dis'greable skoundril—"as you seem to be out of Cannybals, we'll sorter look round here and fix things. Them wax figures of yours want washin'. There's Napoleon Bonaparte and Julius Cæsar—they must have a bath," with which coarse and brutal remark he imitated the shrill war-whoop of the western savage, and, assisted by his infamous coal-heavin' companyins, he threw all my wax-work into the river, and let my wild bears loose to prey on a peaceful and inoffensive agricultural community.

Leavin' Liverpool, (I'm goin' back there, tho', I want to see the Docks, which I heard spoken of at least once while I was there), I cum back to London in a first class car, passin' the time very agreeable in discussin, with a countryman of mine, the celebrated Schleswig-Holstein question. We took that int'resting question up and carefully traced it from the time it commenced being so to the present day, when my countryman, at the close of four hours' annymated debate, said he didn't know anything about it himself, and he wanted to know if I did. I told him that I did not. He's at Ramsgate now, and I am to write to him when I feel like giving him two days in which to discuss the question of negro slavery in America. But now I do not feel like it.

London at last, and I'm stoppin at the Greenlion tavern. I like the lan'lord very much indeed. He had fallen into a few trifflin errors in regard to America—he was under the impression, for instance, that we et hay over there, and had horns govin out of the back part of our heads—but his chops and beer is ekel to any I ever pertook. You must come and see me, and bring the boys. I'm told that Garrick used to come here, but I'm growin' skepticle about Garrick's fav'rit taverns. I've had over 500 public houses pinted out to me where Garrick went. I was indooced one night by a sclek comp'ny of Britons to visit some twenty-five publik louses, and they confidently told me that Garrick used to go to each one of 'em. Also Dr. Johnson. This won't do, you know.

May be I've rambled a bit in this communycation—I'll try and become collected in my next, and meanwhile, b'leeve me Trooly Yours, ARTEMUS WARD.

First Grenadier of France.

For many a year there was a touching and beautiful custom to be witnessed in a certain regiment of French grenadiers, and which met to commemorate the heroism of a departed comrade.

When the companies assembled for parade, and the roll was called, there was one name to which its owner could not answer—it was that of La Tour d' Auvergne.

When it was called the oldest sergeant present stepped a pace forward, and then raising his hand to his cap, said, proudly: "Died on the field of honor."

For fourteen years this custom was continued, and only ceased when the restored Bourbons, to please their foreign masters, forbade everything that was calculated to preserve the spirits of the soldiers of France.

La Tour d' Auvergne was not unworthy in life the honor thus paid him after his death. He was educated for the army, entered in 1761, and in 1781 served under the Duke de Crillon at the seige of Pori Mahon. He served always with distinction, but constantly refused offers of promotion, saying that he was only fit for the command of a company of grenadiers; but finally the various grenadier companies being united, he found himself in command of a body of eight thousand men, while retaining only the rank of Captain.

Hence he was known as the first grenadier of France.

But it is of one particular exploit of his that we wish to write, more than his career in general.

When he was forty years of age he went on a visit to a friend, not far from a section of the country that was soon to become the scene of a campaign. While there, he was busy in acquainting himself with the features of the country, thinking it not unlikely that this knowledge might be of use to him, and while here the brave grenadier was astonished to learn that the war had been rapidly shifted to this quarter, and that a regiment of Austrians was pushing on to occupy a narrow pass about ten miles from where he was staying, and the possession of which would give them an opportunity to prevent an important movement of the French which was then on foot. They hoped to surprise this post, and were moving so rapidly upon it that they were not more than two hours distant from the place where he was staying, and where they would have to pass in their march. It matters not how he heard the news. It is sufficient to say that he determined at once to act upon it.

He had no idea of being captured by the enemy in their advance, and he at once set off for the pass. He knew that the pass was defended by a stout tower, and a garrison of thirty men, and he hoped to be able to warn the men of their near danger.

He hastened on, and arriving there, found the tower in perfect condition. It had just been vacated by the garrison, who had heard of the approach of the Austrians, and had been seized with a panic thereat, and had fled, leaving their arms, consisting of thirty excellent muskets.

La Tour d' Auvergne gnashed his teeth with rage, as he discovered this. Searching the building, he found several boxes of ammunition, under the loopholes that commanded the road by which the enemy must advance.

Then he ate heartily of the provisions he had brought with him, and sat down to wait. He had absolutely formed the resolution to defend it alone against the enemy.

There were some things in his favor in such an undertaking. The pass was steep and narrow, and the enemy's troops could enter it only in double files, and in doing this would be fully exposed to the fire from the tower. The original garrison of thirty men could easily have held it against a division, and now only one man was about to hold it against a regiment.

It was dark when La Tour d' Auvergne reached the tower, and he had to wait some time for the enemy. They were longer in coming than he had expected, and for a while he was tempted to believe they had abandoned the expedition.

About midnight, however, his practiced ear caught the tramp of feet. Every moment the sound came nearer, and at last he heard them entering the defile. Immediately he discharged a couple of muskets into the darkess to let them know that he knew of their presence and intentions, and he heard the quick, short commands of the officers, and, from the sounds, he supposed that the troops were passing from the pass. Until the morning he was undisturbed. The Austrian commander, feeling assured that the garrison had been informed of his movements, and was prepared to receive him, saw that he could not surprise the post as he had hoped to do, and deemed it prudent to wait till day light before making the attack.

At sunrise he summoned the garrison to surrender. A grenadier answered the summons.

"Say to your commander," he said, in reply to the messenger, "that this garrison will defend this pass to the last extremity."

The officer who had borne the flag of truice retired, and in about ten minutes a piece of artillery was brought into the pass, and opened on the tower. But to effect this, the piece had to be placed directly in front of the tower, and within easy musket range of it. They had scarcely got the gun in position, when a rapid fire was opened on it from the tower, and continued with such marked effect that the piece was withdrawn after the second discharge, with a loss of five men.

This was a bad beginning, so half an hour after the gun had been withdrawn, the Austrian Colonel ordered an assault upon it.

As the troops entered the defile they were received with a rapid and accurate fire, so that when they had passed over half the distance they had to traverse, they had lost fifteen men. Disheartened by this, they returned to the mouth of the defile.

Three more assaults were repulsed in this manner, and the enemy by sunset had lost forty-five men, of whom ten were killed.

The firing from the tower had been rapid and accurate, but the Austrian commander had noticed this peculiarity about it—every shot seemed to come from the same place. For a while this perplexed him, but at last he came to the conclusion that there were a number of loopholes close together in the tower, so constructed as to command the ravine perfectly.

At sunset the last assault was made and repulsed, and at dark the Austrian commander sent a second summons to the garrison.

This time the answer was favorable. The garrison offered to surrender at sunrise the next morning if allowed to march out with their arms and return to the army unmolested. After some hesitation the terms were accepted.

Meantime La Tour d'Auvergne had passed an anxious day in the tower. He had opened the fight with an armament of thirty loaded muskets, but he had not been able to discharge them all. He had fired with surprising rapididity, but with surprising accuracy, for it was well known in the army that he never threw away a shot. He had determined to stand to his pass until he had accomplished his end, which was to hold the place twenty-four hours, in order to allow the French army time to complete its manœuvre. After that, he knew the pass would be of no consequence to the enemy.

When the demand for a surrender came to him after the last assault, he consented to it upon the condition named.

The next day at sunrise the Austrian troops lined the pass in two files extending from the mouth to the tower, leaving a space between them for the garrison to pass out.

The heavy door of the tower opened slowly, and in a few moments a scarred and bronzed grenadier, literally loaded down with muskets, came out and passed down the line of troops. He walked with much difficulty under his very heavy load.

To the very great surprise of the Austrians, no one followed him from the tower.

In astonishment the Austrian Colonel rode up to him, and asked in French why the garrison did not come out of the tower.

"I am the garrison," said the soldier, proudly.

"What!" exclaimed the Colonel, "do you mean to tell me that you alone have held that tower against me?"

"I have had that honor," was the reply.

"What possessed you to make such an attempt?"

"The honor of my country was at stake."

The Colonel gazed at him a moment with admiration. Then, raising his cap, he said:

"Grenadier, allow me to salute you. You have proved yourself the bravest of the brave."

The officer caused all the arms that La Tour d'Auvergue could not carry to be collected, and sent them, with the grenadier, into the French lines, together with a note relating the whole affair.

When the knowledge of it came to the ears of Napoleon he offered to promote La Tour d'Auvergne, but the latter declined to accept the promotion, saying that he preferred to remain where he was.

This brave soldier met his death in an action at Aberhausen, in June, 1800, and the simple and impressive scene at roll-call in his regiment was commenced and continued by the express command of the Emperor himself.

COAL DUST AND COAL ASHES.

A few days since we saw a fine cabbage growing in a heap of coal ashes. The heap was on the side of a hard path, and the luxuriant cabbage stood upon its apex. It was quite evident that the roots of the cabbage could not extend beyond the ashes to obtain nourishment from the soil. Does not this afford pretty conclusive evidence that coal ashes contain the elements of nutrition which plants need.

So it is said that experience has abundantly demonstrated that the application of coal *dust*, that is, the finer portions of the coal, is a valuable stimulant of vegetable life. A writer to whom a series of interrogatories were propounded with a view to elicit information respecting the power of this article, says, "the finest stalks of the poke weed, used and preferred in this locality for early greens, because it is juicy and tender, are found growing among the heaps of coal dirt about the mines. Upon the heaps of coal dirt on the Philadelphia wharves, fine crops of oats may be seen growing with extraordinary rapidity without any soil. I am not a farmer, but I can answer for its efficacy in a garden made in this region; and for the fact that fruit trees which suffered by insects in the roots for several seasons being very healthy this year after removing a portion of the soil, filling in fine coal dirt, and covering with earth. Its effect upon peas, potatoes and corn, is visible in our garden, by comparison with alternate rows where the coal dust was not applied. The experiment will not be expensive where the dust can be easily obtained."

We are informed that in many cases where this coal dirt has been applied in the vicinity of cities, the most marked results have followed. Wheat, rye, barley, oats and Indian corn, as well as most of the root crops cultivated in fields and gardens, have been urged forward to an unusual development by its agency. Grass lands, top-dressed with it, have exceeded in the amount of their production those which had been manured with animal excrement, nitre or gypsum.

As this dirt can be had in many places simply for removing it, it is well worth the attention of those farmers who reside in the vicinity of places where coal is much used. If it really has the value given it above, a few cords, annually applied, would soon increase the profit of our farms, besides proving a valuable permanent accessory to the soil.

Charcoal possesses the remarkable properties of absorbing noxious vapors from the air and from the soil, and of extracting unpleasant impurities as well as saline substances from water, and of decomposing many saline compounds. It also sucks into its pores much oxygen and other gasses from the air. Owing to these and other properties, it forms a valuable mixture with liquid manure, ammoniacal liquor, or other rich applications to the soil. It is even capable itself of yielding *slow* supplies of nourishment to living plants; and it is said in many cases, even when unmixed, to be used with advantage as a top-dressing.

In the county of Durham, England, the dust of common coal, such as is sifted out at the mines as too small for burning, has been spread upon poor, cold, arable land, and as a top-pressing upon old pastures, with manifest advantage. May not coal ashes have something of the action of charcoal?

Seeing the cabbage growing so luxuriantly upon the top of the heap of coal ashes, has suggested these remarks. They are opportune, however, and may influence some who have heretofore considered coal dust and coal ashes as of no value, to preserve what may be collected through the coming winter, and experiment with them next summer. Large quantities of both may be found wherever there are manufactories in our country towns.—*New England Farmer.*

OLD TYPE.—At a typefounders' feast, held at the Crystal Palace, in London, in August, Mr. Caslon mentioned the curious fact that matrices from punches originally cut by William Caslon in 1725 were now taken down for daily use, after having been laid aside since 1772 as obsolete—nearly fifty years after their first invention—"for," said Mr. H. Caslon, "with the returning taste for the beautiful in form—a necessary consequence of the greater popularization of art in our times—the 'old-faced type' had come to be regarded as the most elegant letters within the range of typography."

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Gen. Banks has been severely handled by some of our State politicians of late, and very hard things have been said of him. While we do not suppose the General to be immaculate, we believe him to be as honest as the average of politicians, even of those who go to Congress from the Old Bay State; and we are quite sure that he is an untiring worker, and that his record of "work done," and generally "well done," will compare favorably with those who make greater pretentions to statesmanship and piety. If the charges made against him are untrue, and we are disposed to believe them such, he has been most foully wronged; and if the people of this district are not quite certain of moral delinquences on his part, they should return him to Congress by one of the largest votes ever given to a candidate for that responsible post. We trust that Gen. Banks will come out of this fiery trial with his honor untarnished, his record clear and bright, his power for usefulness and good enlarged, and his manhood fully and triumphantly vindicated.

At the convention held at Malden, last Tuesday, Gen. Banks received almost a unanimous vote on the first ballot, and now that he is fairly before the people, the old motto, "stick to Banks," will be revived, and he will be returned to Congress by an overwhelming majority.

Some good people have an idea that a man who holds the important and responsible position of an editor, shows his independence by inserting any thing and every thing that may be offered for publication, regardless of the effect it may have upon individuals or the community; but the editor of the *Journal*, who has had some experience in editorial life (having been in harness some quarter of a century), feels and knows that true independence consist as often in rejecting articles, as in inserting them; and when he is convinced that any article handed him is calculated to injure any one, he invariably rejects it; and his own sense of having done right is all that he needs to sustain him in such course. A great statesman once said that he had rather be right than be President; and we can say that we had rather do right, and live and die poor, than by a contrary course win the applause of men, even if accompanied by the biggest fortune in the land. While we say this, and adopt it as a general course of action, we have never failed, and trust we never shall fail to attack those persons in public or private life, whose acts tend directly to injure their fellows, or bring disgrace upon the community. We do not offer this as an apology, for we have none to make, but simply to let the public understand our position and intentions.

IMPROVEMENT.—Those of our readers who reside in Woburn, must have noticed during the past four or five weeks, the great alterations and improvements which were being made in the drug store on Main street, recently occupied by Mr. William C. Brigham. Carpenters, painters, and glaziers, have wrought a complete transformation in the whole establishment, and it is now, to say the least, one of the best appointed stores in town. The new proprietors, Grosvenor & Co., have also filled the store with an entirely new stock of the choicest drugs, chemicals, and fancy articles, to be found in the cities of Boston and New York, and it now presents an appearance highly creditable to their good taste, while, at the same time, it is an ornament to the town, which is doubtless abundantly able to support a first-class establishment of the kind. The new proprietors will at all times keep the store abundantly supplied with every thing usually found in such establishments. They will also pay particular attention to compounding prescriptions, and the store will at all times be in charge of thoroughly competent persons to prepare them. Mr. Grosvenor resides in the house directly opposite, and will be ready to answer all calls during the night. We trust a liberal and generous patronage will be extended the new concern.

We learn that the increase of business at 20 Temple Place, Boston, since the proprietor has adopted his new system of business, is very great. The plan on which the business of the store is conducted is very simple and vastly popular, and we are informed by one, in whom we have confidence, that the utmost fairness is used in all transactions. When you purchase goods you pay for them, as usual, but if you are lucky enough to guess a certain number which the cashier holds in his hand, you get the goods for nothing, the amount of money you have paid, being refunded to you. The whole plan is explained in the advertisement in another column, to which we invite attention.

A LARGE YIELD.—One of the most prolific seeds of which we ever heard, came up this season on the premises of H. W. Davis, Esq., on Pleasant street, Woburn. As it was a stray vine, among the grass, it attracted little or no attention at first, but it grew vigorously, and yielded 238 pounds of perfect marrowfat squashes. The vine was never hoed.

ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday of last week, Mr. F. L. Bryant, while at work in the shoe stock factory of S. Simonds & Son, caught the fingers of his left hand in the iron rollers, and laid the bone bare. Dr. Harlow dressed the wound, and it is doing well. No insurance.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

BOSTON, Oct. 13, 1866.

THE TEACHER. — A convention of Massachusetts teachers was held in this city this week, and was very largely attended from all parts of the State. It was a beautiful spectacle to see the Tremont Temple closely packed with teachers, who manifested a deep interest in the proceedings. Such a gathering recals the importance of teachers, and suggests the numerous schools scattered over the commonwealth, where, in retirement and quiet, are performed labors, which mould the generation soon to come upon the stage of action. The females in the convention very far surpassed in number the attendance of the other sex, as they exceed men in this vocation, being perhaps, four-fifths of our school instructors. The public schools were chiefly represented, although there were some teachers of private schools convened with this State association.

It is the fashion now-a-days to have conventions of almost every class and profession:

"Soldier unites with soldier; swain with swain,
The mariner with him who roves the main;"

and there is something very becoming in the union of teachers. The feeling of isolation appertaining to one, who dwells as it were apart on her little throne, with her subjects at her feet, and who is frequently called to reside among strangers, and finds few who know how to sympathize with the peculiar trials of a teacher—this feeling—is relieved, by coming in contact with so many of the same profession. The reading of papers on various topics connected with instruction, and the discriptions thereupon, are what the mind seeks and delights in. Association wears awaw the timidity, and awkwardness or stiffness, and the teacher under the influence of good cheer in a social meeting or entertainment, like a minister under similar directing power, and the freedom of being with those of like position and employment, is changed even to the teacher's own apprehension, and he finds that he is a human being possessed of all the passions of his race. The result is a more cheerful state of mind, a quickened state of the intellect, and the conduct is more active and energetic.

The soiree and promenade concert, given in Music Hall by the city of Boston, in compliment to the Association, operated like a charm to melt the iciness of many hearts, and to make the teachers feel at home. The military drill by the Latin and High school organization, also served to dissipate care and create a lively spirit, and the exhibition in light gymnastics by a class of pupils from the Eliot school, agreeably diversified the exercises of the convention, while the visits of members of the convention to the Natural History Society Rooms, the Institute of Technology, and other places, added to the pleasant memories of the convention to be called up in future times.

It was stated in the convention, that there were but 400 male teachers in the State, while there were 5000 female teachers. The profession of teacher is therefore eminently one for females to enter, and their salaries are increasing, and should be further increased, and we may expect our most talented females to enter the profession under the great encouragement held out.

Woman, at home, educating the young and occupying the part of teacher in our schools, has thus highly responsible duties, and she should be educated in every respect in a suitable manner for her position. We are glad to notice the openings for the exercise of female talent, and for securing her independence in a pecuniary recompense. Many young ladies are preparing themselves to fill the situation of teachers, and Massachusetts and the other States of New England, are furnishing for the whole country their industrious and educated daughters, to supply schools in other States. A large field is open for them at the South, though Southern ladies will now gratify themselves to teach, and thus assist in the support of the families with which they are connected, who have been reduced in their circumstances by the events of the war.

Judging from the great success of the recent convention here, as to numbers and interest, and recollecting how much easier of success this city is, than others, —easier for the largest number of teachers,—we may expect that most of the teachers' conventions will be held here, but Lowell, Worcester, Salem, Newburyport and Springfield, are also, accessible and central places, to be sometimes selected.

Education is somewhat different from what it was in olden times, in the branches taught, and in the teachers. Old ladies, for a long time were the chief, if not the sole teachers of our primary schools.

Shenstone's school mistress has passed away, but many thanks for what she did when no better teacher was to be found. It is amusing as well as instructive to read the poet's description.

"In every village, marked with little spire,
Embowered in trees, and hardly known to fame,
There dwells, in lowly shade and mean attire,
A matron old, whom we school-mistress name;
Who beats unruly brats with birch to tame:
They grieven sore, in piteous durance pent,
Aw'd by the power of this relentless dame,
And oft-times on vagaries idly bent, [shent.
For unkept hair, or task unconned, are sorely

And all in sight doth rise a birchen tree,
Which learning near her little dome did stow,
Whilome a twig of small regard to see,
Though now so wide its waving branches flow,
And work the simple vassals mickle woe:
For not a wind might curl the winds that blew,
But their limbs shuddered, and their pulse beat low;
And as they looked, they found their horror grew,
And shaped it into rods, and tingled at the view."

WOBURN LOCALS.

POLITICAL.—The convention of the Republicans of the Sixth Congressional District was held in the Town Hall, at Malden, on Tuesday forenoon. The convention was called to order at a quarter past 11 o'clock, by Francis Childs, of Charlestown. G. D. B. Blanchard, of Malden, was selected to occupy the chair temporarily, and Col. Wm. T. Grammer, of Woburn, was appointed temporary secretary.

The committee on credentials reported 26 cities and towns—all but one in the district—represented by 159 delegates. The convention was permanently organized by the choice of the following officers:

President, G. E. B. Blanchard, Malden.

Vice-Presidents, Col. H. R. Sibley, of Charlestown, E. W. Fiske, of Waltham, Maj. E. L. Noyes, of Lawrence, Hon. Horace Conn, of Woburn, Col. Archibald Bogle, of Melrose, Hon. L. M. Barker, of Haverhill.

Secretaries, Col. Wm. T. Grammer, of Woburn, Harmon Hall, of Saugus.

Mr. Blanchard, in assuming the duties of the chair, tendered his thanks to the convention for the honor conferred upon him. To-day, he observed, the delegates were called upon to send to Congress the best man in the district. The times required true men, and it was fit that they should come here prepared to do their duty—to send a man who knew how to perform the task required of him. In this district they had such men. This district had in times past had an important influence in the affairs of the government, and he trusted that this influence would be continued.

At the close of his remarks the president invited Rev. Mr. Reed, of Malden, to offer prayer.

Mr. James Pierce, of Malden, moved that a committee of five be appointed to receive and count votes for a representative to Congress. The committee appointed attended to their duty, and reported as follows:

Whole No. ballots,	151
Necessary for choice,	76
N. P. Banks, of Waltham, had	142
D. W. Gooch, of Malden, had	8
J. M. Stone, of Charlestown, had	2

Six hearty cheers followed the announcement of the vote, and Gilmore's Band, which was in attendance, struck up a lively air. The convention then dissolved and under the escort of the band, the delegates, by invitation of Mr. Geo. Lockman, visited his splendid residence on the highlands, where Gen. Banks was introduced to his friends, and the large party were liberally entertained by Mr. Lockman.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.—The 6th Senatorial District (Republican) Convention assembled in the Town Hall, Woburn, last Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clk, in response to the call of the District Committee, to choose a candidate for State Senator. The meeting was called to order by N. Wyman, Esq., and organized by the choice of Col. Lyman Dike, of Stoneham, President, and John L. Parker, of Woburn, Secretary. A committee on credentials reported 13 towns represented by 44 delegates. A committee of five appointed by the chair to select and present to the convention a list of names for district committee, reported as follows, and their report was accepted and adopted:

J. G. Pollard, of Woburn, Oliver R. Clarke, of Winchester, B. Harrington, of Lexington.

On motion the chair appointed E. A. Upton, of So. Reading, C. S. Parker, of Woburn, and C. P. Brown, of Reading, a committee to receive, sort and count votes on an informal ballot for candidate for Senator. The committee reported as follows:

Whole No. votes,	43
Geo. P. Elliot, Billerica,	22
Daniel Allen, So. Reading,	17
J. Coggin, Tewkesbury,	3
M. M. Tidd, Woburn,	1

After a somewhat animated discussion, in which the claims of the two prominent candidates were presented by their respective friends, the motion to declare Mr. Elliot the candidate by acclamation was withdrawn, and the convention proceeded to a fomal ballot, with the following result:

Whole No. votes,	44
Geo. P. Elliot,	25
Daniel Allen,	19

On motion of E. A. Upton, Esq., the nomination of Mr. Elliot was made unanimous, and after passing the customary vote of thanks to the presiding officer, the convention dissolved.

PERSONAL.—Rev. J. E. Swallow occupied the pulpit at the Methodist church last Sunday, at the request of Rev. Mr. Parkhurst, who is at present suffering from a severe affection of the throat.

—This week Ann Salmon, the notorious rumseller of this town, was again brought before Justice Converse, plead guilty to the charge of violating the Sunday law, and paid fine and costs. An indictment for being a "common seller" against her, is before the Grand Jury, and there is every reason to hope that ere long she will be sent to keep her husband company in the Cambridge jail.

LATE TRAIN.—A lady friend wishes to be informed how it happens that so large a number of the young men employed in Boston—some of them not so very young, either—"get left" by the train in which they usually return home, and are obliged to remain till the 11.30 train, on Wednesday nights, and also if the "poor belated" ones sit in the "waiting room" all those long hours.

—Our town fathers have added to the fire department a fine horse, weighing some thirteen hundred pounds, whose duty it will be to haul the steam fire engine, in case of fire. The principal service, however, he will be called upon to perform will be the less honorable but no less useful duty of hauling a dump-cart on the highways.

FENIAN BALL.—The "Gen. Corcoran Circle," F. B., of this town, held the first dance of the season in Central Hall, Friday evening of last week. About fifty couple were present, and they made a night of it, the programme being composed of twenty-two dances. The proprietor of the Central House got up a splendid supper, of which most of the company partook.

BUSINESS.—At the present time the local business of Woburn is very good. Some of our shoe manufacturers are having their employees make extra hours, and still can hardly keep up with their orders.

HORSE TRAINING.—Profs. York & Williams, horse trainers, exhibited two splendidly trained stalions on Main street and in the Central House yard, Friday afternoon and Saturday morning of last week, to a large and admiring audience. At the conclusion of the Saturday morning exhibition, a class was formed of those desiring to be initiated into the mysteries of the new method of breaking and training colts and horses, and by the payment of $5 each they were admitted to the school, which was held in the carriage house of Mr. Jones' stable. From the number who attended it is fair to presume the professors got well paid for their visit to Woburn.

—J. B. Winn & Co. are erecting a large barn on the high land just east of their tannery on Salem street.

—Rev. Daniel W. Waldron, a graduate in the last class at the Andover Theological Seminary, will occupy the pulpit at the 1st Congregational church next Sunday.

THEFT.—Last Monday a young man, who gave his name as Laughlin Winn, a barrel merchant, stole a whip from the grocery store of Mr. Rufus Smith. He was arrested and brought before Trial Justice Converse, and fined $15.00 and costs, in default of which he was committed to jail.

—Up to Thursday, 18th inst., twenty-one cases have been brought before the Woburn Police Court, this month. In *every one* of them, rum was the cause, either directly or indirectly. Ann Salmon's name appears on this month's record three times,—as a common seller, keeper of a liquor nuisance, and for violation of the Sunday law. She must begin to realize that "the way of the transgressor is hard."

—The documents in the case of the Commonwealth *vs.* fifteen gallons of ale, property of Margaret Mahoney, cover over some twelve square feet of closely written and printed paper.

CRANBERRIES.—The cranberry crop, like the apple crop, in this section is light this year, and they are now held at $5 per bushel, which is $1.50 higher than the price of last year at this time.

THE TURF. — A three-days carnival was opened at the "Riverside Park," in Brighton, last Thursday. Some celebrated horses were exhibited.

TARGET EXCURSION.—By invitation of Co. G, 5th Regt., the Phalanx Associates united with that company in a grand target excursion, last Thursday afternoon. The company and their invited guests met in Armory Hall at noon, where the procession was arranged in the following order: Hall's Band, of Boston (twenty pieces); Co. G, under command of Capt. Cyrus Tay, 1st Lieut. M. S. Seeley, 2d Lieut. E. F. Wyer (42 muskets); Phalanx Associates and invited guests, in sections, commanded by Col. W. T. Grammer, Capt. C. S. Converse, Capt. John P. Crane, Capt. Luke R. Tidd; "color guard," commanded by Maj. A. Bancroft. At about half-past one o'clock the line was formed, and after marching around the common the company proceed to North Woburn, where the targets had been placed and everything arranged for the afternoon's sport. Two targets had been arranged, one for Co. G, and one for the Associates, and as soon as possible after arriving, the firing commenced, under the direction of the commanders of the several sections. Capt. Walter Wyman fired the first shot, and a shout announced that he had hit the target.

Space will not admit of giving the comparative skill shown by the different sections, or of individual shots, to any great extent. Most of them went singing through the air towards Reading, or threw up the dirt two or three rods from the marksmen, and before long it came to be reckoned a good shot if a man hit the target.

While this contest was going on a large tent had been pitched, and tables spread with a collation prepared by Mr. O. R. Still, and as each section completed its rounds, they repaired thither for refreshments. A large number of the Associates accepted the invitation of Col. M. F. Winn, of North Woburn and visited his house, where they were sumptuously entertained.

Towards the close of the firing at the Associates' target it became evident that there were three close contesants for the prize, and as one of them had retained a shot in the last round, considerable interest was manifested to obtain the result of the final measurement by the judges. About five o'clock the targets were brought in, and after a careful measurement, the following awards were made:

Co. G Target,—1st price (three best shots) a silver ice pitcher—to Marcellus Littlefield; worst shots, a tin cup to Capt. Tay.

Phalanx Associates Target.—Silver ice pitcher to A. J. Parker; tin cup to A. B. Johnson.

The contestants spoken of above were Messrs. F. C. Parker, Orin W. Stevens, and A. J. Parker. The following is the average of their shots:

F. C. Parker, average,	12 inches.
O. W. Stevens, "	9 7-12 "
A. J. Parker, "	9 1-12 "

The best single shots were made by Messrs. A. J. and F. C. Parker, both touching the center spot. Mr. Addison Parker acted as marker for the Associates, and Mr. Henry Drown for Co. G.

After all had partaken of the collation provided, and the award of prizes made, the line was again formed and marched back to the armory, where the prizes were presented,—that of Co. G by Capt. Tay, and on behalf of the Associates by Capt. Walter Wyman,—and the members dispersed, much pleased with the manner in which the afternoon had been spent.

—The 6th Congressional National Union and Democratic Convention will be held at Haverhill, next Tuesday, 23d inst.

LUKE R. BOUT.

LECTURES ON ZOOLOGY.—Prof. Putnam gave his first lecture on Tuesday evening, Oct. 9th, and the second on the evening of the 16th. Both were devoted to insects, particularly to the hive and honey bee. The lecturer showed himself thoroughly acquainted with his subject, and handled it in an able manner. His style of delivery is somewhat hesitating and defective, and there is no attempt at oritoral display. But he renders his ideas so plain that all can see and understand them.

The second lecture was very interesting, and was well attended. Through the kindness of Mr. Cummings, the president of the society, the scholars of the High school have been furnished with free tickets for the course. Now it would be but justice to the Association, for the parents of the scholars to purchase tickets and attend with their children. It would be of great assistance to them, beside materially aiding the Association towards defraying the expenses of the course. It requires a considerable effort to get a respectable number to attend a scientific lecture, while people rush in crowds to negro minstrelsy. This was strongly illustrated last week, by comparing the audience at the lecture room under the Unitarian church, and that thronging to Lyceum Hall to listen to vocal comicalities. How true it is that people rather be amused than instructed.

ATHOS.

THANKSGIVING. — Governor Bullock has designated Thursday, Nov. 29, as a day of public thanksgiving in this Commonwealth. It is the same day as that appointed by President Johnson for a national thanksgiving.

WINCHESTER.

RELIGIOUS.—At the Unitarian church last Sunday afternoon, in place of the usual class exercises of the Sunday School, there was a general exercise, in which the whole school participated. The subject of "Moral Courage" had been given out some Sunday's previous, and the pupils requested to find selections from scripture upon the subject, and repeat them at this meeting; also, any incidents or poetry illustrating this subject. Although this was the first time this method had been pursued, yet its success was very encouraging. The remainder of the hour was occupied in singing, and and in interesting remarks from the pastor, C. J. Bishop, J. B. Winslow and H. B. Metcalf.

The Sunday school society, (Unitarian) holds its annual meeting at Lowell, on Tuesday and Wednesday, of next week. Delegates will have return tickets free. Rev. E. E. Hale, of Boston, will preach a sermon, and Rev. J. D. Wells and Wm. Everett, Esq., have been invited to read essays.

EVADING RAILROAD FARE.—The officers of our railroad have recently discovered that several who have heretofore had season tickets have been riding upon the road after the same had expired, without any renewal of the same. In one case it is said that the date on the ticket had been altered. The penalty for this offence is a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty dollars for each time. In these cases the guilty parties have been let off on payment of the price of the tickets during the period. They will not probably attempt any thing of the kind again, as it is not very profitable and certainly not creditable.

CRYSTAL WEDDING.—A new period in the return of the anniversary of the wedding day of our friends, so far as we are aware, is to be observed this week at the house of one of our citizens, under the name of of the crystal wedding.

What term of time in the married life this recognises, we have not heard, but presume the getters up of it know, and we suppose the presents will be of glass. We have heard of the celebration of wooden, pewter, tin, silver, and golden woddings, but this seems to be a new wrinkle. It is hoped that though the presents may be of glass, that none will be broken, but never-theless it is expected that it will be a Blood-y affair.

SOCIAL ASSEMBLY.—The first social assembly of the season, will come off at Lyceum Hall, on Wednesday evening, Oct. 31st. Music by Hall's Quadrille Band. A special train will leave for Boston, immediately after the finale. The managers are among our well known young men, and their names are a sufficient guaranty that the gathering and its object, will be a pleasant one, and successfully carried out. EXCELSIOR.

A fire broke out in Quebec, C. E., on Sunday morning, which destroyed property estimated to be worth from $2,500,000 to $3,000,000, including 2500 houses and a large number of churches and convents. About 18,000 of the inhabitants are houseless. But one life is known to have been lost.

NOTICE.—Rev. Mr. Fay will preach at home next Sunday.

IN MEMORIAM.

DIED, in Woburn, Sept. 11th, after a long and severely painful illness, Mrs. CELENDE, wife of Gen. ABIJAH THOMPSON, aged seventy years and ten months

So sweetly o'er! forever o'er!
Those mouths of weariness and pain!
Forever gone, her patient watchings for the dawn!
Dear hands shall smooth her pillow nevermore,
Or press the throbbing brow again;
That *inward strife* the Christian heart must meet,
And yet unfaltering prayer repeat,
Is hers no more;—'tis o'er at last,
The darkened river safely passed,
The long-sought goal is won!

Chant sweetly for the dead,
The cherished and the blessed dead!
Place purest flowers upon her bier,
Speak words of cheer within that hollowed home,
Her gentle presence made so dear.
Oh! the voice we loved is hushed to-day!
That heart is pulseless, and so cold her brow!
But the *free soul*, on its immortal way,
Awakes divinest music now!

O, ye who bend in lonely grief,
Weep gently,—smile 'mid quickly-gath'ring tears;
Breathe no sad requiem o'er the loved and blest,
So sweetly folded to her Saviour's breast!
Afflicted ones, look upward now,—
Behold her placid, angel face,
The light in that seraphic eye!
Her fair, celestial brow so high,
And form of more than earthly grace.

O, choir redeemed! O, harmony sublime!
A well-known voice, methinks we hear
In thy melodious chime!
Angelic friend, with full fruition blest!
So lately numbered with the myriad throng,—
God grant thee in the realm of song
His promised rest!

Woburn, September, 1866.

PITTSBURGH, May 10th, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

GENTLEMEN:—During a visit to the West, last fall, I contracted chills and fever, which brought me to my bed, and finally terminated in typhoid fever, and confined me to my room for several months, during which time I was physically so prostrated that I almost despaired of ever recovering my health; having almost entirely lost my appetite for days, not being able to eat a morsel, added to which I was distressed with a reeling sensation in my head, and passed many sleepless nights—all from debility caused by my prostrate condition, brought about by fever. At this stage of my condition a friend recommended me to use your celebrated Stomach Bitters, but being morally opposed to the use of stimulants in any form, I at first declined, but afterwards yielded my prejudices, and, after taking the medicine for several weeks, my appetite returned, and with it I am rapidly regaining my former strength and vigor. My sleep, (from the loss of which I have suffered much) has never been better than it is now, and the reeling sensation (before alluded to), has entirely left me. My bowels, which were much constipated and irregular, are now quite natural, and, in fact, I am glad to say that I feel myself a new man, and tender you this testimonial of my appreciation of your valuable preparation in order that others, suffering as I have, may avail themselves of its virtues, which prejudice kept me from enjoying for so long a period. I may also add that my physician, after seeing the beneficial effect of your Bitters on me, recommended that I use them regularly. Yours, very respectfully,

E. BOURNE, 45 Market st.

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The following letter commendatory of the "Oriental" is only an additional proof of the great popularity of this justly celebrated stove:

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Oct. 6, 1866.

Messrs. E. Arnold & Co., New Haven,—

GENTS:—I am very much pleased with the "Oriental Base Burning Coal Stove," manufactured by Messrs. Perry & Co., of Albany, which I purchased of you. For continuous burning with little care, simplicity, pleasant heat, cheerfulness, ventilation, economy and ease of regulating the combustion with no escape of coal gas, it is far superior to any thing that I have ever seen. If this stove is used according to the directions, it cannot fail to give satisfaction. Yours, truly,

T. P. DICKERMAN.

The work of leveling Fort Hill, Boston, was commenced last week, and will not be completed before spring. The earth excavated will be used in extending various wharves, and will increase their value $7,000,000. Twenty acres of territory will be included in the proposed improvements, and Washington Square will be kept open, and a magnificent building, 204 x 143, ft. with wings in proportion, erected upon it, under the auspices of the Boston Board of Trade.

Married

In Reading, 16th inst., by Rev. W. W. Hayward, Mr. Harley Prentiss to Miss Nellie C. Lindsay.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

Druggists & Apothecaries,

No. 5 Wade Block,

Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock!

The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of

Drugs, Chemicals,

ETC., ETC.,

and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with

RELIABLE GOODS.

A full assortment of all the most popular

PATENT MEDICINES

OF THE DAY,

Constantly on hand. Our stock of

SOAPS,

PERFUMERY,

TOOTH BRUSHES,

ETC.,

will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of

Physicians' Prescriptions,

and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.

☞ If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.

We shall make a specialty of

Fresh Herbs,

AND SHALL KEEP

A FULL VARIETY.

We have also added to the Stock

SOME CHOICE BRANDS

OF

CIGARS

AND

TOBACCO!

CIGARS

BY THE BOX,

VERY LOW.

☞ We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public. ☜

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

No. 5 Wade Block.

J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

WANTED:

3 or 4 Good Knivesmen,

THAT can Puff, Skive and Green Shave. None need apply but the best workmen. Wages good and steady work.

FAIRBROTHER & FALES,

oct20—2t* Pawtucket, R. I.

MRS. TODD

TAKES this opportunity of informing the ladies of Woburn that she is prepared to COLOR, CLEAN AND DO UP

Old Straw Hats & Bonnets,

at her residence, Lowell street. Also, DRESS MAKING done at short notice.

Any work or orders left with Mrs. LOCKERBY, Watchmaker, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—4t

MISS EMMA A. WILSON,

Teacher in Wax Flowers, Water Colors and Drawing, Bank Block.

Class hours from 1 to 5 o'clk, Saturday afternoons. Specimens may be seen at the Post Office, where further particulars may be obtained.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—2t*

Notice.

THE INTERNAL REVENUE TAX will be payable at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in Woburn Center, as heretofore. Office days, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, from the twentieth to the last day of the month, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 12, M.; from 2 o'clock, P. M., to 5, P. M. The last day of the month (Sunday excepted), from 2 o'clock, P. M., to 7, P. M.

WILLIAM WINN,
Deputy Collector.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

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TIMBER,

At Auction.

I SHALL sell at auction, on TUESDAY, the 30th of October, at 9 o'clock, A. M., all the WOOD and TIMBER situated upon about THIRTY ACRES of land in the North-easterly part of *Woburn*, and one fourth of a mile East of *Woburn Chemical Works*. This sale affords to buyers of Wood and Timber, either for the *market* or *their own use*, an opportunity such as can but seldom offer, as this is one of those lots of *old* and *heavy growth* that have become so rare in this section of the country. The growth consists of White and Pitch Pine, Oak, Maple and Birch. Access to the lot is perfectly easy at all seasons. Should the weather be stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour. Terms at the sale.

By order of Mrs. RUTH LEATHE.

S. F. THOMPSON, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Oct. 20th, 1866. 2t

NEW GOODS.

LADIES' KID GLOVES,
Only 60 cents per pair.

HEAD NETS, 10 cents.

CHILDREN'S WHITE WOOLEN HOSE, 15 and 20 cents per pair.

BLACK & WHITE BALMORAL SKIRTS, $2.00.

LADIES' EMBROIDERED HDK'FS, 37 cents.

WOOLEN YARNS (all colors) 10 cts. per skein.

FANCY SOAP, per box (3 cakes) 15 cents.

25 PAPER COLLARS for 10 cents.

DRESS BRAIDS (all colors) 10 cents.

CRIMPED PAPER COLLARS, 20 cents per box.

VELVET DRESS BUTTONS, 42 cents per doz.

A LOT OF LADIES' SLEEVE BUTTONS, new styles, 37 cts. per set.

HOOP SKIRTS, 83 cents and $1.00.

LOTS OF OTHER GOODS, EQUALLY LOW.

CHARLES W. MACY,

LYCEUM BUILDING.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—2t

ABSTRACT OF RETURNS made to the Massachusetts Insurance Commissioners, November 1st, 1865, by the Columbia Fire Insurance Company, New York. Amount of capital actual paid in $500,000 00; number of shares, 40,000; Par value of each share, $50,00; Amount of Fire Risks outstanding, None; Amount of Marine Risks outstanding, None; Total amount of Outstanding Risks, $19,053,228 84; amount of U. S. Stocks and Treasury Notes, $90,816 50; amount of State Stocks, None; amount of Bank Stocks, None; amount of Railroad Stocks, None; amount of Railroad Bonds, None; amount of Real Estate, None; amount of cash on hand and in Bank, $2771 04; amount of cash due from agents, $25,000 00; amount loaned on mortgage of real estate, $326,800 00; amount loaned on collateral, $71,436 25; amount loaned without collateral, None; amount of all other investments and debts due Company, $5,000; amount of Premium Notes on Risks terminated, None; amount of borrowed money, None; amount of losses assertained and unpaid, None; amount of losses claimed and unpaid, $40,000 00; amount of losses reported upon which the liability of the Company is not determined, $15,025 00; amount of all other claims against the Company, None: amount of cash received for premiums on fire risks, $278,976-80; amount of cash received for premiums on marine risks, None; amount of notes received for premiums on fire risks, None; amount of notes received for premiums on marine risks, None; amount of cash received for interest, $41,114 30; amount of income from all other sources, None; amount of Fire Losses paid the last year, $259,686 97; amount of Marine Losses paid the last year, None; amount of Dividend; paid the last year, None; amount of expenses of office, $27,730 40; amount of other expenditures, $20-621 13; amount of cash received for fire risks not terminated, $148,615 25; amount required to reinsure all outstanding risks, $48,537 75; amount of premium notes on risks not terminated, None; amount of delinquent notes not charged to profit and loss. None; highest rate of interest received, 7 per cent.; highest rate of interest paid on borrowed money, None; number of shares of Capital stock, pledged to the Company, None; balance to credit of profit and loss account, $23,009 57; balance to debit of of profit and loss account, None; number of shares of capital stock owned by the Company or not subscribed for, None; amount of capital consisting of stockholders notes, None.

oct 20—2t A. J. MERCER, General Agent.

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THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter*.

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.

oct20—3m

Died

In Woburn, Oct. 15th, Sarah C. Hadley, aged 62 years, 9 months.
In Woburn, Oct. 17th, Mrs. Ann Scribner, aged 49 years, 2 months.
In Woburn, Oct. 11th, Arthur Eaton, aged 4 mos.
In Burlington, Oct. 12th, Elizabeth W. Shedd, aged 61 years, 7 months.
In Stoneham, 17th, inst., of marasmus, Willner Elwood, only child of Asa W. and Sarah M. Butterfield, aged 11 months, 15 days.

SIXTH MIDDLESEX SENATE DISTRICT.

THE National Union and Democratic Convention for the Sixth Middlesex Senatorial District, comprising the towns of Bedford, Billerica, Burlington, Lexington, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, South Reading, Stoneham, Tewksbury, Wilmington, Winchester and Woburn, will be held at the Town Hall, in Woburn, on FRIDAY, the 26th day of October, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

Basis of Representation, same as the late State Convention. AUGUSTUS ROUNDY,
County Com. of National Union Convention.
A. E. THOMPSON,
Chairman of Democratic Dist. Committee.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PASSPORTS

Furnished to persons going to Foreign Countries, by
JAMES B. BELL,
NOTARY PUBLIC AND COMMISSIONER
FOR ALL THE
STATES AND TERRITORIES;
For the Acknowledgement of Deeds, Powers of Attorney, Affidavits, Depositions, &c.
No. 4 State, corner Washington Street,
oct20—4t BOSTON.

JOHN C. OSGOOD,
DEALER IN
Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,
No. 33 Winter St., Boston.

The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the
Cheapest Market Prices.
JOHN C. OSGOOD.
oct20—3m

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CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
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S. S. HOUGHTON'S
POPULAR STORE
ENLARGED.

We have enlarged our New Store opposite the Boston Museum, by adding the basement; rendering it still more commodious for the goods, which we are offering at reduced prices.

In the Basement.

Quilts, Blankets, Cottons, Linens, Diapers, Towels, Crashes, Flannels, Plaid Cambrics, Brilliants, Book and Swiss Muslins, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Balmorals, &c.

On the First Floor.

Every variety Fine French *Flowers, Feathers, Roses, &c.*, every new style Ladies' and Children's Straw and Felt *Bonnets, Hats, Turbans, Frames, Bonnet Ribbons, Velvets, &c.*, at very low prices. Also, all kinds *Embroideries, Lace Goods, Linen Collars, Lace Veils, Umbrellas and Sun Shades.*

OUR DEPARTMENT OF
LADIES' UNDER-GARMENTS
contains a full assortment of every thing wanted, *Ready-made.*
All Goods warranted perfect; if found imperfect, the money will be refunded.
Store 45 and 47 Tremont Street,
BOSTON,
Nearly opposite the Museum. Also at our old stand,
OPPOSITE THE TREMONT HOUSE.
S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.
oct20

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LOCK STITCH
Sewing Machines!

HAVE TAKEN THE
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At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent Judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.
Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind,
For FAMILY SEWING.
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IN FACT,
For every kind of Practical Sewing,
WHEELER & WILSON'S
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For sale at
Public Auction.

A small STABLE 14 by 22 ft. is of suitable size to finish into two rooms.
Also, one other building, 14 x 16 ft., convenient for a good shed, &c. The above are situated just south of the coal yard, and will be sold on SATURDAY, Oct. 20th, at 5 o'clock, P. M. Sale positive, without regard to weather or price.
Per order.
oct13—2t J. E. LITTLEFIELD.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF
Dwelling House and Land!
IN READING.

BY virtue of a license from the Probate Court of Middlesex County, I shall sell at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of October, at 4 o'clk, P. M., on the premises, the large two-story house and sheds, with 1 acre of land, on High street, directly opposite the depot of the B. & M. R. Road, belonging to the heirs of the late Loea Parker. Said house is commodious. It has 22 large rooms, arranged for two or four families, all finished in good order. For full particulars, inquire of HARRISON PARKER, Guardian, 173 Blackstone street, Boston, or of WM. H. TEMPLE, Auctioneer, in Reading.
oct13—3t*

TO THE RUBBER SOLE SHOE COMPANY, a corporation duly organized under the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and having its place of business at Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth aforesaid:
Please take notice that it is my intention, for breach of the condition thereof, to foreclose the mortgage on personal property made and executed by you to me. Said mortgage is dated the twenty-fifth day of September, A. D., 1865, and is recorded in the Town Clerk's office in said town of Stoneham, in Book of Mortgages, No. 3, Page 212.
Dated this ninth day of October, A.D., 1866.
W. M. BAILEY,
Trustee, Mortgagee.

Received this Day:
ONE BALE
RUSSIA CRASH,
At 12 1-2 Cents per yard!
CHAS. A. SMITH,
Bank Building.
Woburn, Oct. 13, 1866.

AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK
OF
MILLINERY

MRS. L. M. DALTON has fitted up the store recently occupied by Mr. Carnes, and stocked it with an ENTIRE NEW STOCK of MILLINERY.
She has on hand a full and complete set of stamps for embroidery stamping, and will attend promptly to all orders.
Wade Block, cor. Main & Park Sts.
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LADIES, ATTENTION.

DRESS GOODS
OF
THIS SEASON'S IMPORTATION,
COMPRISING
The most Elegant and Fashionable Styles,
AT
FORCED SALE!
TO DISPOSE OF THESE GOODS
At the Earliest Day Possible.
The Following Great Inducement
Is Offered for Public Patronage:

You can buy what you want, and pay for it just as you would do in any store. You can then go to the Cashier, who has 30 Checks, numbered from one up to thirty in regular order. As you come up to him he will take in his hand one of these checks, which you know must be some one of the thirty numbers. You can then GUESS what one of the numbers it is, and if it prove to be the number you guessed it to be, he will pay you back your money, and as a matter of course you will get your goods for NOTHING. If you fail to guess correctly, *you lose not a single penny*, as you still have the goods for LESS than any other store in Boston will sell them.
Come and examine for yourselves. The inducements we offer are the

Lowest Prices!

to be found in Boston, and a wholly fair and honorable chance to get your goods for

NOTHING!

Don't pay any attention to the statements made by those who wish to sell their own goods, but EXAMINE for yourselves. If you will, you cannot fail to see that our goods
Are the CHEAPEST to be found in the City of Boston.
REMEMBER
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Are invited to examine a large consignment of the
NEWEST STYLES
—OF—
ENGLISH AND DOMESTIC
CARPETINGS,
For sale at RETAIL at WHOLESALE PRICES, by
William H. Browne,
PAVILION CARPET ROOMS,
53 & 55 Tremont Street,
(In the rear of McGilvray's Auction Rooms.)
N. B.—CARPETS LEASED. oct 13—1m

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JEWELRY.
FRANK B. DODGE, Practical Watchmaker. Also dealer in CLOCKS,



WATCHES, GOLD CHAINS, LOCKETS, JEWELRY, SPECTACLES, Fine Silver Plated Ware, "plated on genuine Albata," Silver Spoons, Butter, Fruit and Pie Knives Napkin Rings, Coral Beads, Thermometers, &c.
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Clocks, Watches and Jewelry repaired.
VIOLIN STRINGS constantly on hand.
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LEARNARD & HARTLEY,
Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."
We are in receipt of the latest designs of
ENGLISH CARPETINGS,
IN GREAT VARIETY,
which together with a complete assortment of
Goods of American Manufacture,
AND OIL CLOTHS,
We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also,
WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,
—AT THE—
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,
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—IN—
SHAWLS, BALMORALS
—AND—
BLACK SILKS,
—AT—
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The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two
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For HABITUAL CONSTIPATION they excel every other remedy.
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SUCCESSOR TO
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Nos. 90, 92 & 94 Tremont street,
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HAVING FITTED
New Rooms Over his Retail Store,
Will on Wednesday, Oct. 3, open a
MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT
OF
Trimmed and Made-up
HATS & BONNETS,
FOR
Ladies, Misses & Children.

☞ We call the attention of Ladies to this New Department of our business, with the assurance that we will be able to give the BEST STYLES, and that prices shall be full 38 PER CENT. LOWER than any other house in town.

Every Article Warranted as Represented.

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oct6—4t

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MANSFIELD'S
BOOT & SHOE EMPORIUM

Having been closed for repairs, is now open with a prime assortment of Goods suitable for the coming season, and at prices that will defy all competition.

Ladies' Double Sole Cloth Boots	*$2.50*
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Miss and Children's Boots for School, stout and cheap.	
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Boys' " " "	*3.50*
Youths' " " "	*3.00*
Women's Rubbers	*1.25*

And everything else equally low. Will be happy to show Goods.

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oct13—4t

MRS. M. E. FIELD,
DEALER IN
MILLINERY!
AND
FANCY GOODS,
NEW BANK BUILDING,
WOBURN.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

FOR breach of condition, and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Nathaniel R. Maxwell to Samuel S. Richardson, dated the 21st day of September, A. D., 1855, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Registry of Deeds, lib. 723, fol. 314; will be sold at public auction on Monday, the 22d day of October instant, between the hours of two and three o'clock in the afternoon, the premises described in said mortgage deed, consisting of a one-and-a-half story cottage dwelling house, with land adjoining, well stocked with fruit trees.
The sale will be at the dwelling formerly occupied by Nathaniel R. and Wm. D. Maxwell, on the premises, in the easterly part of Winchester, County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
By order of the Mortgagee.
JOSIAH HOVEY, Auctioneer.
Winchester, Oct. 1, 1866.—oct6—3t

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SPARROW HORTON,
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Ten Years have clearly proved that the theory of simplicity, the great element of this splendid preparation, which allows its use whenever there is tickling or irritation in the Throat, and producing no debility, is the only and true theory by which *Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, Bronchial Complaints*, and all *Throat Affections*, which, if neglected, end in *Consumption*, can be effectually cured.
☞ *Sore Throat*, the great origin of *Diphtheria*, when neglected, is cured by making a *Gargle* with equal parts of water.
☞ *Whooping Cough* is completely relieved of its violence by a constant use of the remedy.
☞ Testimonials of undoubted character can be seen at my office by all.
Small Bottles, 25 cts. Large do. 50 cts.
☞ Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Medicine.
JOHN L. HUNNEWELL, Proprietor.
Practical Chemist, 9 Commercial Wharf, Boston, Mass. oct6—1m

Best and Cheapest Insurance!
THE ORIGINAL
TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.,
INSURES AGAINST
ALL ACCIDENTS.
ALSO AGAINST
Loss of Life from Any Cause,
Whether Disease or Accident,
WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!
Paid up Capital, $500,000,
With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.
GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*
$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000
was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.
☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.
J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.
oct 6—3m

Oysters and Clams!
AT
YOUNG'S
WOBURN FISH MARKET.

Piano Fortes for Sale,
WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.
Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.
Please address, or apply to
CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.
oct13—6m

Woburn Gas Light Company.
NOTICE.
A DIVIDEND of six per cent. has been declared, payable at the Company's Office, on and after October 15th, to all persons holding stock on the first day of October, 1866.
AARON THOMPSON, Treasurer.
Woburn, Oct. 13th, 1866. 3

Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,
Immediately.
Apply at P. TEARE'S.
oct13—tf

HORACE COLLAMORE
DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.
OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,
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Burning Fluid,
40 Cents per Gallon.
THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.
B. F. HEBARD & SON,
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oct6—3m

$2,000 A YEAR made by any one with $15 Stencil Tools. No experience necessary. The Presidents, Cashiers and Treasurers of 3 Banks endorse the circular. Sent free with samples. Address the American Stencil Tool Works, Springfield, Vermont. jy28—3k

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oct13—1m

WILLCOX & GIBBS'
SEWING MACHINES,
STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.
MRS. L. M. DALTON,
Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,
AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.
A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.
Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.
CALL AND SEE THEM.
oct13—tf

J. M. THRESHER,
DENTIST,
Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he
HAS REMOVED TO
No. 132 Court St., Boston,
(only 2 doors from his former place),
Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.
All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.
Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party. J. M. T.
Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

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The remedy is within reach of all. *Smolander's Compound Fluid Extract of Buchu*, will cure you of all *Kidney Diseases, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy*, and *Chronic Gonorrhœa* and will renew and restore your exhausted and failing energies. If you have been a too eager *votary of pleasure*, nothing will do you so much good as *Smolander's Extract Buchu*. For many diseases incident to females, *Smolander's Buchu* is a sure and sovereign remedy. *Get the Genuine. Price Only One Dollar.*
Sold by W. C. BRIGHAM.
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BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, General Agents.
ASK FOR SMOLANDER'S BUCHU.
june30

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FISH MARKET.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of
FRESH AND SALT FISH,
OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,
and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.
All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage. JAMES A. YOUNG.
Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

Choice English
Breakfast Tea,
FOR SALE BY
URBANE DERBY.
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Carpetings and Curtains!
AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED
CARPETINGS,
As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the
NEW CARPET HALLS,
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which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at
VERY LOW PRICES.
FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.
☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜
WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES
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LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.
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OPENING:
DRESS GOODS,
BLANKETS,
FLANNELS,
WOOLENS,
COTTONS,
&c. &c.
And in all Departments, a Great Variety, and at the
Lowest Prices.
Chas. A. Smith,
BANK BUILDING, Woburn.
Sept. 14th, 1866.

A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,
BEING AN
EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH
CLOCK AND WATCH
MAKER,
AS ALSO
JEWELRY DEALER,
would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,
MAIN STREET,
OPPOSITE THE COMMON.
All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.
"CALL AND TRY."
Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

Oysters and Clams!
AT
YOUNG'S
WOBURN FISH MARKET.

QUINCY MUTUAL
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!
Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,
AND ALL LOSSES PAID.
Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,
And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.
All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.
S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.
This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.
WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.
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FOWLE & CO.,
No. 164 WASHINGTON ST.,
BOSTON.
IMPORTERS OF
CARPETINGS
in every variety of style & quality.
PURCHASERS AT R TAIL
SHOULD EXAMINE THEIR STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.
FOWLE & CO.,
164 Washington Street.
oct6—2m

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,
No. 28 Bromfield Street, . . Boston,
OFFER AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL,
A large assortment of
WINDOW SHADES,
LACE CURTAINS and
UPHOLSTERY GOODS.
New Goods constantly received.
Drapery Curtains put up in the best manner, at reasonable prices.
W. R. ELLIS & CO.,
oct6—4t 28 BROMFIELD STREET.

"Do Not Delay,"
BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,
INSURANCE AGENT,
feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

House and Land For Sale.
THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to
EDWARD W. BROOKS.
Woburn, Oct. 6th, 1866. 2t*

G. R. GAGE,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
New Bank Building, Woburn,
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he is now located in his new store, where, with increased facilities, he is ready to fill their orders with promptness and despatch.
BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS
made in the best style, and warranted to fit
Particular attention paid to making
Boys' Clothing,
He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.
FURNISHING GOODS
of all kinds, and of the best qualities, constantly on hand.

BOSTON AND LOWELL
And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—
Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, 8. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8? am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, p. m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8?, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m.
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.
The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.
Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.30, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a. m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7.22, 8.30, a.m. 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9.46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05, 7.40, 9.00, 10.24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.
*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.
The 7.00 A. M., and 2 15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.
Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.20, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.
Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.
*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.
†Wednesdays at 10.15 p.m.

Stoneham Branch.
The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham,‡ at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.
Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5.52, and 7.32, 8.52, 10.15, A M, 1.00, 4.52, and 6.30, P M.
‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.
¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.
J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent.
B. L. and N. & L. R R.

FURS!
M. WALKO & CO.
Respectfully inform their Friends and Customers, that their well selected stock of
FURS,
Manufactured by M. WALKO personally, is now ready for inspection. Also wish to inform Ladies who have
Old Furs to Alter or Repair,
not to leave it too late in the season, as the earlier they are brought the better attention can be paid to them.
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE—NOT IN THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, AS FORMERLY, BUT DIRECTLY OPPOSITE NEXT DOOR TO HOVEY & Co.'s., Boston.
Also, a good assortment of
LADIES' & CHILDREN'S HATS,
LADIES' RIDING HATS.
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FURS! FURS!
Ladies who have FURS that need REPAIRING or ALTERING, are reminded that now is the best time to have them done; and the subscribers are now prepared to execute all orders for
REPAIR OR ALTERATIONS OF
FURS,
OR FOR NEW WORK, IN THE BEST MANNER AND AT SHORT NOTICE.
BARNUM & WIGHT,
Mercantile Building...Summer St. Boston.
FORMERLY WALKO & BARNUM.
oct 13—3t

CARPETS. CARPETS.
AT LOW PRICES!
Quick Sales can be made if the prices are low.
We have concluded to sell our large stock at some price or other THIS MONTH.

BRUSSELS,	COMMON ALL WOOL,
VELVETS,	OIL CLOTHS,
THREE-PLYS,	MATTINGS,
KIDDERMINSTER,	BOCKINGS, &C.

A lot of ALL WOOL CARPETS at $1.12 1-2.
F. B. WENTWORTH & CO.,
66 HANOVER STREET,
Under the American House.
oct 13—1m

New Millinery Rooms.
MISSES C. M. ADAMS & L. HARDY,
(Late with J. W. Coverly & Co.,)
Would respectfully inform their friends and customers that they have taken rooms at
120 Tremont St., Boston,
Where they would be happy to serve those who may favor them with their patronage. All orders promptly and faithfully executed.
Rooms No. 10 and 11. oct 13—1m

WINE, GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE
Thibet, $1,
—AT—
CURRIER'S.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS
AT BIG BARGAINS!
—AT—
CURRIER'S.
94 Hanover Street, Boston.
oct 13—1m

SPECIAL NOTICES.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER,

As an internal remedy, has no equal. In case of Cholera, Summer Complaint, Dyspepsia, Dysentery, Asthma, it cures in one night, by taking it internally, and bathing with it freely. It is the best liniment in America. Its action is like magic, when externally applied to bad sores, burns, scalds, and sprains. For the sick headache and toothache, don't fail to try it. In short, it is a Pain Killer.

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—This medicine has become an article of commerce, a thing no medicine ever became before. Pain Killer is as much an item in every bale of goods sent to country merchants as tea, coffee, or sugar. This speaks volumes in its favor.—GLENS FALLS MESSENGER.

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PERMANENT AND WIDE-SPREAD SUCCESS IS THE BEST EVIDENCE OF THE GOODNESS OF BRANDRETH'S PILLS.—They should be in every family, ready for use on the first symptoms of disease occurring. This method will often save life. Remember, the

CHOLERA MUST BE TREATED AS A POISON,

and your safety demands it should be got rid of without delay. Colds, rehumatism, asthma, pleurisy, diarrhœa, colics, in fact, all sickness is the consequence of active impurities in the blood. These being removed, the health is restored at once.

Observe my name in the Government stamp in white letters. Sold by Druggist.

sept 29—1m B. BRANDRETH.

THE MOON'S VOLCANOES

are engaging the attention of astronomers but the world of Beauty and Fashion is less interested in human discoveries than in the great question of

TURNING THE HEADS

that have been whitened by age or sickness to a glorious black or brown hue. Nobody now is such

A LUNATIC,

as not to admit that the finest and most harmless hair darkner in existence is

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE,

which nourishes the fibres as well as changes their hue. Manufactured by S. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers.

sept 29—1m.

A HUMBUG,

HOW OFTEN WE HEAR THIS EXPRESSION from persons reading advertisements of Patent Medicines, and in nine cases out of ten they may be right. It is over 10 years since I introduced my medicine, the VENETIAN LINIMENT, to the public. I had no money to advertise it, so I left it for sale with a few druggists and storekeepers through a small section of the country, many taking it with great reluctance; but I told them to let any one have it, and if it did not do all I stated on my pamphlet, no one need pay for it. In some stores two or three bottles were taken on trial by persons present. I was, by many, thought crazy, and that would be the last they would see of me. But I keep my medicine was no humbug. In about two months I began to receive orders for more Liniment, some calling it my valuable Liniment, who had refused to sign a receipt when I left it at their store. Now my sales are millions of bottles yearly, and all for cash. I warrant it superior to any other medicine for the cure of Croup, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Vomiting, Spasms, and Sea sickness, as an internal remedy. It is perfec ly innocent to take internally, see oath accompanying each bottle,—and externally for Chronic Rhumatism, Headache, Mumps, Frosted Feet, Bruises, Sprains, Old Sores, Swellings, Sore Throats, &c., &c. Sold by all the Druggists. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,

dec30—1y 851 Broadway, New York.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from *whatever cause*. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR.

jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the adertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,

dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Gambrie Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvement to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

Last Closing-out Sale

OF

Boots & Shoes,

AT

GOLDTHWAIT'S

Boot & Shoe Depot.

Store to be vacated on the First of November.

We now offer $10,000 worth of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers,

At such rates as will insure their immediate sale, as we are determined not to remove them. If you are in want of any kind for yourself or family, here is the opportunity to get them at a Bargain. Read the prices at which we are selling some of the many varieties.

MEN'S CALF SEWED BOOTS, $5.50, worth $8.00	
MEN'S CALF TAP SOLED BOOTS, $4.00, worth $6.00	
MEN'S THICK BOOTS,	$3.50, worth $5.00
MEN'S GRAIN BOOTS,	4.00, " 6.00
MEN'S BALMORALS,	2.50, " 4.00
MEN'S CONGRESS BOOTS,	2.25, " 3.25
MEN'S BUCKLE SHOES,	2.00, " 3.50

MEN'S SLIPPERS, BROGANS, OXFORD TIES, &c., &c., at equally low rates.

BOY'S BOOTS,	$1.50 to 3.00, worth $2.50 to 5.00
YOUTH'S BOOTS,	1.25 to 2.50, worth $1.75 to 2.25

LADIES' CALF BALMORALS, $2.50, worth $3.50

LADIES' GRAIN BALMORALS,	$1.75, worth 2.50
LADIES' GOAT BALMORALS,	1.50, " 2.50
LADIES' SERGE CONGRESS,	1.25, " 2.00
LADIES' SERGE BALMORALS	1.50, " 2.25

LADIES' SERGE DOUBLE SOLES, $2.00, worth $2.75

LADIES' BUSKINS, SLIPPERS, &c., &c., at all sorts of prices.

MISSES' LEATHER BALMORALS, At $1.50 and $1.75

MISSES' SERGE CONGRESS, SINGLE AND DOUBLE, at $1.50 to $2.00

With the usual variety of CHILDREN'S SHOES, many of which we sell at HALF PRICE.

Bear in mind that this Sale cannot possibly continue after November 1st.

GOLDTHWAIT'S

Boot & Shoe Depot,

Cor. Hanover & Blackstone sts.,

oct13—2t BOSTON.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF THE

American Watches,

Made at WALTHAM, Mass.

In consequence of recent great improvements in our facilities for manufacturing we have reduced our prices to as low a point as they can be placed

With Gold at Par,

so that no one need hesitate to buy a watch now from the expectation that it will be cheaper at some future time. The test of ten years, and the manufacture and sale of

More than 200,000 Watches,

have given our productions the very highest rank among time keepers. Commencing with the determination to make only thoroughly excellent watches, our business has steadily increased as the public became acquainted with their value, until, for months together, we have been unable to supply the demand. We have repeatedly enlarged our factory buildings until they cover over three acres of ground, and give accommodation to more than eight hundred workmen.

We are fully justified in saying that we now make MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF ALL THE WATCHES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES. The different grades are distinguished by the following trade-marks on the plate:

1. "American Watch Co." Waltham, Mass.
2. "Appleton, Tracy & Co." Waltham, Mass.
3. "P. S. Bartlett." Waltham Mass.
4. "Wm. Ellery."
5. OUR LADIES' WATCH of the first quality is named "Appleton, Tracy & Co." Waltham, Mass.
6. Our next quality of Ladies' Watch is named "P. S. Bartlett," Waltham, Mass. These watches are furnished in a great variety of sizes and styles of cases.

The American Watch Co., of Waltham, Mass., authorize us to state that without distinction of trade-marks or price,

ALL THE PRODUCTS OF THEIR FACTORY ARE FULLY WARRANTED

to be the best time-keepers of their class ever made in this or any other country. Buyers should remember that unlike the guarantee of a foreign maker who can never be reached, this guarantee is good at all times against the Company or their agents, and that after the most thorough trial, any watch should prove defective in any particular, it may be always exchanged for another. As the American Watches made at Waltham are for sale by dealers generally throughout the country, we do not solicit orders for single watches.

CAUTION.—The public are cautioned to buy only of respectable dealers. All persons selling counterfeits will be prosecuted.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,

AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY,

182 BROADWAY, N.Y.

oct6—1m

E. F CUSHMAN,

SUCCESSOR TO

CUSHMAN & BROOKS,

90, 92 & 94

Tremont Street,

BOSTON.

EVERY DEPARTMENT in our Stock is now full.

LADIES', MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S HATS;

RICH RIBBONS, PARIS FLOWERS, BEAUTIFUL PLUMES;

GLOVES, HOSIERY, LADIES' AED GENTS' UNDERGARMENTS;

EMBROIDERIES, LACES, WHITE GOODS;

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS;

COTTONS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS,

SMALL WARES, &c., &c.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

AT OUR VERY LOW PRICES.

☞ Every article warranted as represented.

sept29—4t

BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 53 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

aug 11—6m

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

Clocks! Clocks!

☞ IN EVERY VARIETY OF STYLE AND QUALITY.

Silver and Plated Ware,

A LARGE VARIETY.

JEWELRY

OF ALL KINDS.

Fancy Goods!

IN GREAT VARIETY.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

Razors, Pocket & Table Cutlery,

FOR SALE LOW,

FOR CASH.

J. FRED. LESLIE.

Woburn, June 23, 1866.—tf

DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist.



Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

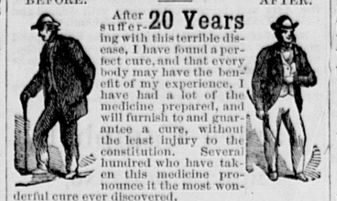
Woburn Centre, Mass.

Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

NITROUS OXYD GAS, or SULPHURIC ETHER, Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain*. Charges moderate.

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



After **20 Years** suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

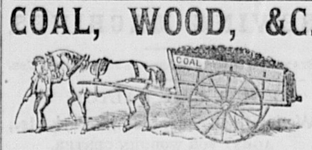
Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.

July21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. Hetrusts, by giving strict attention te business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

Woburn, Mass., Sept. 8th, 1866. 1y

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, JULY 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$300,000.00
Surplus, after deducting all claims,	203,472.58
	$503,472.58
Less Portland claims,	80,000.00
	$423,472.58

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.

aug 25—1y

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed,—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,

260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.

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SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

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HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

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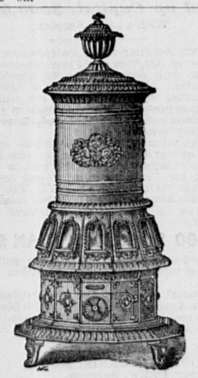
DENTAL SURGEON,

Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.

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THE IMPROVED ORIENTAL

Base Burning Coal Stoves,

and Parlor Furnaces,

Have received Four First Class Premiums at the New York State and other Fairs. Also, the great SILVER MEDAL at the Fair of the American Institute held in the City of New York, 1865.

THEY ARE PERPETUAL BURNERS, ONLY ONE FIRE BEING REQUIRED TO BE MADE DURING THE SEASON.

THEY ARE PERFECT VENTILATORS OF THE APARTMENT.

THERE CAN BE NO ESCAPE OF GAS FROM THEM.

THERE CAN BE NO CLINKER OR SLAG TO OBSTRUCT.

THE FIRE WILL REMAIN FOR DAYS WITHOUT ATTENTION.

THE ILLUMINATION IS EQUAL TO AN "OPEN FIRE."

THEY ARE POWERFUL HEATERS AND YET PERFECTLY ADAPTED TO MILD WEATHER.

THEY ARE THE MOST ECONOMICAL STOVES AND FURNACES EVER MADE.

THE FURNACE WILL HEAT, SATISFACTORILY, BOTH AN UPPER AND A LOWER ROOM, WITHOUT ADDITIONAL FUEL.

Eight Sizes of the Stoves, and Three Sizes of the Parlor Furnaces.

Manufactured and for Sale to the Trade by

PERRY & CO.,

ORIENTAL STOVE WORKS,

No. 115 Hudson St., Albany

For sale in Woburn, by

L. THOMPSON, JR.

Flour,

FEED,

MEAL

AND

GRAIN,

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford. By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

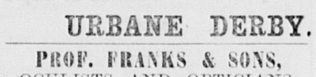
Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

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OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



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(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any peddlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

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ITCH! ITCH! ITCH!

SCRATCH! SCRATCH! SCRATCH!

Wheaton's Ointment

Will Cure the Itch in 48 Hours.

Also cures SALT RHEUM, ULCERS, CHILBLAINS, and all ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN. Price 50 cents. For sale by all druggists.

By sending 60 cents to WEEKS & POTTER, Sole Agents, 170 Washington street, Boston, it will be forwarded by mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States. oct28—1y

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DEALER IN

BOOKS, & TATIONERY, PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
Violin and Guitar Strings.

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

Next door to the Post Office,

Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors*. Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$8,049,539.60*.

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

Bill-heads printed at this office.

NEW

Meat & Vegetable

MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market

On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore, which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,

VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

☞ IN THEIR SEASONS. ☜

POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

AND

HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

of the very best quality.

GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.



AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,

FOR

GENTLEMEN'S

GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING A SPLENDID STOCK OF NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF

GOODS

—FOR—

Gentlemen's Garments,

EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT

CHAMBERS

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Anæsthesia.

Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.

COME AND GET YOUR TEETH EXTRACTED without pain, by the above anæsthetic, which is, thousands can testify who have tried it, a blessing to the age in which we live. Positively no pain at all, and can be administered, and Teeth extracted, and the patient go about his business in ten minutes' time. All other operations, such as filling and the Pathological treatment of the teeth, together with Artificial teeth of all kinds, done in the best manner and as soon as it can be done properly.

Call and see specimens at my office.

E. H. DANIELS,

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DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

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Woburn, March 17, 1866.

SILVERINE.

An entirely new invention for instantaneously

SILVER PLATING

ARTICLES OF

BRASS, COPPER, GERMAN SILVER, BRONZE, &C., &C.,

AND FOR

CLEANING AND POLISHING SILVER AND SILVER-PLATED WARE.

Although an entirely new invention, this article has already excited the surprise and admiration of many of the prominent scientific men of the day, and is pronounced, by all who have seen its almost magical operation, one of the most valuable inventions of modern times.

It is a complete electro silver-plating battery in a bottle, and is destined to work wonders in every household; as by its use all silver-plated ware, whose plating is worn off, can be restored to its original beauty, and articles of brass, copper, German silver, etc., can be instantaneously plated with pure silver, at a cost so trifling that no family need be without it.

There are thousands of articles in daily use made of the baser metals, which, by an occasional use of the Silverine, may be made highly ornamental as well as useful.

It is perhaps needless to say that the Silverine, as its name implies, is a preparation of PURE SILVER, and contains *no mercury*, acid, or other ingredients, nor any property in the slightest degree injurious to metals or the hands.

Applied to *Silver-Plated Table Ware, Fruit Dishes, Trays, Castors, Stair Rods, Harness Trimmings, Military Equipments, Door Knobs and Plates, Metalic Window and Show Case Frames, &c.*, whose plating is worn off, it gives them all the beauty of new ware, which will retain it the Silverine is applied as often as such articles are ordinarily cleaned.

Applied to *Copper, Brass or Bronze* articles, it will keep them *beautifully silvered*, with one quarter the trouble required to keep them clean by scouring, etc.

It will also be found to be the best and most economical silver cleaner ever used, producing all the brilliancy of unalloyed silver.

HOWE & STEVENS,

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SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

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WOBURN CENTER,

A. B. COFFIN,

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Edward K. Willoughby

HOUSE CARPENTER.

Walnut, near Main Street.

Jobbing promptly attended to, and on reasonable terms.

Woburn, July 14th, 1866. 4m*

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Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter,

18 OLD STATE HOUSE, Boston.

june23—1y

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.

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VETERINARY SURGEON,

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Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Splents, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

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STATIONERY,

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Newspapers, Periodicals,
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ALBUMS,

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WALNUT BRACKETS,

Fancy Goods and Children's Toys,

in great variety.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Paper Hangings & Curtains,

Of the latest styles, &c., &c.,

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LOWEST CASH PRICES.

The people of Woburn and vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

SPARROW HORTON.

Woburn Bookstore.

Woburn, Feb. 17, 1866.—tf



CORSETS,

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We are constantly receiving Corsets of the most elegant form, and the best quality that can be produced by the best manufacturers in France and Germany. Our Corsets and Skirts are not excelled by any in style, workmanship or the quality of material used in manufacturing.

Particular attention paid to fitting by ladies of good taste and long experience in the business.

We have also constantly on hand a fine assortment of

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JAMES YOUNG,

No. 12 HANOVER St., Boston, Mass.

aug25—3m

E. P. WHITE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

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E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.

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Oysters and Clams!

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YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

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Self-Aid Cyclopædia for Self-Taught Students. By Robert Scott Burns. Illustrated by upwards of one thousand engravings. 8vo. half mor. London. $4.50

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oct13—1m

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SUCCESSOR TO

CUSHMAN & BROOKS,

Nos. 90, 92 & 94 Tremont street, BOSTON.

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New Rooms Over his Retail Store,

Will on Wednesday, Oct. 3, open a

MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT

OF

Trimmed and Made-up

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FOR

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☞ We call the attention of Ladies to this New Department of our business, with the assurance that we will be able to give the BEST STYLES, and that prices shall be full 38 PER CENT. LOWER than any other house in town.

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A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

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Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture,

AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also,

WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

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DRESS GOODS,

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FLANNELS,

WOOLENS,

COTTONS,

&c. &c.

And in all Departments, a Great Variety, and at the

Lowest Prices.

Chas. A. Smith,

BANK BUILDING, Woburn.

Sept. 14th, 1866.

A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,

BEING AN

EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH

CLOCK AND WATCH

MAKER,

AS ALSO

JEWELRY DEALER,

would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,

MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE COMMON.

All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

ABSTRACT OF RETURNS made to the Massachusetts Insurance Commissioners, November 1st, 1865, by the Columbia Fire Insurance Company, New York. Amount of capital actually paid in $500,000 00; number of shares, 40,000; Par value of each share, $50,00; Amount of Fire Risks outstanding, None; Amount of Marine Risks outstanding, None: Total amount of Outstanding Risks, $19,053,228 84; amount of U. S. Stocks and Treasury Notes, $90,816 50; amount of State Stocks, None; amount of Bank Stocks, None; amount of Railroad Stocks, None; amount of Railroad Bonds, None; amount of Real Estate, None; amount of cash on hand and in Bank, $2771 04; amount of cash due from agents, $25,000 00; amount loaned on mortgage of real estate, $326,800 00; amount loaned on collateral, $71,436 25; amount loaned without collateral, None; amount of all other investments and debts due Company, $5,000; amount of Premium Notes on Risks terminated, None; amount of borrowed money, None; amount of losses assertained and unpaid, None; amount of losses claimed and unpaid, $40,000 00; amount of losses reported upon which the liability of the Company is not determined, $15,025 00; amount of all other claims against the Company, None: amount of cash received for premiums on fire risks, $278,976-80; amount of cash received for premiums on marine risks, None; amount of notes received for premiums on fire risks, None; amount of notes received for premiums on marine risks, None; amount of cash received for interest, $41,114 30; amount of income from all other sources, None; amount of Fire Losses paid the last year, $259,686 97; amount of Marine Losses paid the last year, None; amount of Dividend paid the last year, None; amount of expenses of office, $27,730 40; amount of other expenditures, $20-621 13; amount of cash received for fire risks not terminated, $148,613 25; amount required to reinsure all outstanding risks, $49,537 75; amount of premium notes on risks not terminated, None; amount of delinquent notes not charged to profit and loss, None; highest rate of interest received, 7 per cent.; highest rate of interest paid on borrowed money, None; number of shares of Capital stock pledged to the Company, None; balance to credit of profit and loss account, $25,009 57; balance to debit of of profit and loss account, None; number of shares of capital stock owned by the Company or not subscribed for, None; amount of capital consisting of stockholders notes, None.

oct 20—2t A. J. MERCER, General Agent.

Woburn Gas Light Company.

NOTICE.

A DIVIDEND of six per cent. has been declared, payable at the Company's Office, on and after October 15th, to all persons holding stock on the first day of October, 1866.

AARON THOMPSON, Treasurer.

Woburn, Oct. 13th, 1866. 3

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to

CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.

oct13—6m

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

PITTSBURGH, May 10th, 1866.

Messrs. Hostetter & Smith:

GENTLEMEN:—During a visit to the West, last fall, I contracted chills and fever, which brought me to my bed, and finally terminated in typhoid fever, and confined me to my room for several months, during which time I was physically so prostrated that I almost despaired of ever recovering my health; having almost entirely lost my appetite for days, not being able to eat a morsel, added to which I was distressed with a reeling sensation in my head, and passed many sleepless nights—all from debility caused by my prostrate condition, brought about by fever. At this stage of my condition a friend recommended me to use your celebrated Stomach Bitters, but being morally opposed to the use of stimulants in any form, I at first declined, but afterwards yielded my prejudices, and, after taking the medicine for several weeks, my appetite returned, and with it I am rapidly regaining my former strength and vigor. My sleep, (from the loss of which I have suffered much) has never been better than it is now, and the reeling sensation (before alluded to), has entirely left me. My bowels, which were much constipated and irregular, are now quite natural, and, in fact, I am glad to say that I feel myself a new man, and tender you this testimonial of my appreciation of your valuable preparation in order that others, suffering as I have, may avail themselves of its virtues, which prejudice kept me from enjoying for so long a period. I may also add that my physician, after seeing the beneficial effect of your Bitters on me, recommended that I use them regularly. Yours, very respectfully,

oct20—1m E. BOURNE, 45 Market st.

J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST,

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

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Art thou drowsy, dull indifferent,
Folder of the hands,
Dreaming o'er the silent falling
Of life's measured sands?

Living without air or motion,
Save thyself to please,
Careless as the beasts that perish,
Sitting at thine ease?

Not for thee the mighty message
Rings in startling tone;
Vainly would its pealing accents
Strike through hearts of stone.

Sounding o'er the clash and clatter
Of this earth's vain din,
Unto you that live in earnest,
And that work to win.

Thus it speaks: "Aspirants, toilers
For some lofty gain
See ye spend not strength and spirits,
Hope and faith in vain!

All that soars past self is noble—
Every upward aim—
Make it nobler yet—the noblest
An immortal fame!

Let not good or great content ye,
Higher and still higher,
Only for the best, the greatest,
Labor and aspire!

Spurning all that's partial, doubtful,
All your vigor bend
(Worthiest aim and worthiest effort)
To a perfect end!

Thus have all true saints before ye,
All true heroes striven,
Reaching for the best and highest,
Beyond earth to heaven."

FIRMNESS.

BY PHŒBE CAREY.

We'll let him go, and let him stay—
I do not mean to die;
I guess he'll find that I can live
Without him, if I try;
He thought to frighten me with frowns,
So terrible and black—
He'll stay away a thousand years
Before I ask him back.

He said that I had acted wrong,
And foolishly beside;
I won't forget him after that—
I wouldn't if I died.
If I was wrong, what right had he
To be so cross with me?
I know I'm not an angel quite—
I don't pretend to be.

He had another sweetheart once,
And now when we fall out,
He always says she was not cross,
And that she didn't pout.
It is enough to vex a saint—
It's more than I can bear;
I wish that girl of his was—
Well, I don't care where.

He thinks that she was pretty, too—
Was beautiful as good;
I wonder if she'd get him back
Again, now, if she could?
I know she would, and there she is—
She lives almost in sight;
And now it's after nine o'clock—
Perhaps he's there to-night.

I'd almost write to him to come—
But then I've said I won't;
I do not care so much, but she
Shan't have him if I don't.
Besides, I know that I was wrong,
And he was in the right;
I guess I'll tell him so—and then—
I wish he'd come to-night.

The fertility of Colorado is extraordinary, according to a Denver correspondent of the Missouri Republican, who says:

"But what shall I say of the agricultural products of this region, all astonishing as they are? Until the past season no great attention has been paid to this branch of industry. The results prove that in addition to its unsurpassed mineral resources, Colorado can distance the richest of her Western sisters in the products of the field. The crops of grain have exceeded all expectations, and this year more than enough has been gathered from the teeming fields to supply the wants of the people. The yield of vegetables has been no less remarkable, and if I should give the weight of the cabbages, potatoes, turnips, tomatoes, beets, egg-plants, parsnips and carrots on exhibition at the fair, I doubt if my statement would be credited. Suffice to say Colorado challenges the world to compete with her in all the products of the garden.

A DANGEROUS DISEASE.—The Hartford (Conn.) Times gives the following description of a terrible scourge which is attacking some of the inhabitants of that town: "The cholera fever has about subsided with the advent of cooler weather, and, as the thermometer indicates the nearer approach of winter, a new epidemic starts up, which promises to reach all classes of the community before Christmas and New Year. It commenced in good earnest this week. There is nothing fatal about it if good care is taken by the parties afflicted; yet a disease will sometimes assume a troublesome phase when least expected.

This epidemic is styled by the doctors (of Divinity) a rage for matrimony; fee five dollars or ten dollars, or more, according to the condition of the patient, with a prospect for a further outlay in case of an emergency. The first symptoms are palpitation; then contortion of the facial muscles into a sweet smile and rush of blood to the head; then congestion of the brain and an itching for scribbling epistles delightfully confused with adjectives; then unseasonable hours and sleepless nights; and then various things too numerous to mention, and, finally, visions of embroidery and the cradle season."

HISTORY OF A WOODEN SHOE.—Towards the end of September, 1832, it was announced amongst the artistic circles of Paris that Nicolo Paganini had fallen seriously ill at the conclusion of a grand concert given by the illustrious violinist. He was attacked by a low intermitting fever, which refused to yield to the remedies employed, and even gave rise to apprehensions of his life.

Paganini, whose leanness was already almost spectral, now seemed to have his frail existence suspended by a thread, which the slightest shock might sever. The physicians unanimously ordered solitude, absolute repose, and a strict regimen as to diet.

In order to carry out these prescriptions, Paganini removed to the Villa Lutetiana, in the Faubourg Poissonniere. This excellent establishment, which no longer exists, was intended exclusively for the reception and cure of wealthy invalids. A spacious, comfortable house stood in a large, park-like garden, where each patient could ramble at will, and enjoy either solitude or society at his choice. A great charm of this was that every one lived just as he or she pleased; in the evening either retiring to the solitude of his apartment, or joining in the games, music, and conversation held in the drawing-room. Paganini naturally belonged to those who preferred passing the evenings in quietness and retirement. There was plenty of gossip about him in the drawing-room; three or four censorious old maids fell on him tooth and nail.

"Ladies," began one, "have you seen this great musician? He salutes no one, and never speaks a word. He takes his bowl of soup in an arbor in the garden, and then hastens away if any one approaches. What an oddity he must be!"

"That's part of his malady," said another; "people say that there is some terrible mystery about his life; some love story, I imagine."

"Not at all," added a third; "Paganini is a miser; there's no mystery about that. Do you remember that concert which was organized in favor of the families who had suffered from the inundation at St. Etienne? The great violinist refused to take part in it because he would have to play gratuitously. Depend upon it he feared that were he to mix in our society he might be asked for similar favors."

Paganini guessed pretty well how he was regarded by his fellow boarders, but like Gallio of old, he cared for none of these things. His health became gradually better, yet in the whole house he never exchanged a word with any one except Nicette. This was the housemaid who attended on him; a cheerful, innocent country girl, whose gay prattle, when she served his meals, often availed to dispel the cloud which habitually darkened the brows of Paganini.

One morning Nicette presented herself with a sad, drooping countenance, and served breakfast without uttering a word. The musician, who was amusing himself with carving a piece of ivory for the handle of a dagger, noticed the change in the young girl, and questioned her upon it.

"What's the matter, my child? You look sad; your eyes are red; some misfortune has befallen you, Nicette?"

"Oh, yes! sir."

"Would it be indiscreet to ask you what it is?"

"No, sir, not precisely; but——"

Paganini fixed his great black eyes on the girl's troubled countenance.

"Come," he said; "I see how it is. After having made you a thousand promises, *he* has quitted you, and you no longer have any tidings of *him*."

"Ah! poor fellow! He has quitted me certainly, but it is not his fault!"

"How is that?"

"Because in the conscription he drew a bad number, and he has been sent away with a great long gun on his shoulder, and I shall never see him again," sobbed poor Nicette, as she buried her face in her white apron.

"But, Nicette, could you not purchase a substitute for him?"

The girl, withdrawing her apron, smiled sadly through her tears.

"Monsieur is jesting," said she: "how could I ever buy a substitute?"

"Does it cost very dear?"

"This year men are tremendously dear on account of the report that there is going to be a war. Fifteen hundred francs is the lowest price."

The musician pressed Nicette's little plump hand between his long sallow fingers, as he said—

"If that's all, my girl, don't cry; we'll see what can be done."

Then, taking out his pocket book, he wrote on a blank leaf:

"Mem.—To see about giving a concert for the benefit of Nicette."

A month passed on; winter arrived, and Paganini's physician said to him:

"My dear sir, you must not venture out of doors again until after the month of March."

"To hear is to obey," replied the musician.

During the winter a comparative degree of health and strength returned to Paganini. Having no longer the pleasant, shady arbors of the garden as a refuge, he began gradually to linger a little in the drawing-room. After dinner he used to throw himself on a sofa of crimson velvet and pass half an hour in turning over a volume of engravings, or in sipping a glass of sugared water flavored with orange flowers. The old ladies of the society gossiped on about him and his odd ways, but he affected not to hear, and certainly did not heed them.

Christmas eve approached. On the anniversary of the birth of Our Lord, a custom exists in France very dear to its juvenile inhabitants. A wooden shoe is placed at the corner of the hearth, and a beneficent fairy is supposed to come down the chimney laden with various presents and dainties with which he fills it. It is calculated that one year with another the Christmas wooden shoe enriches the trade of Paris with two million francs.

On the morning of the 24th December four of Paganini's female critics were in consultation together.

"It will be for this evening," said one.

"Yes, for this evening; that's settled," replied another.

After dinner Paganini was, according to his custom, seated on the drawing-room sofa, sipping his *eau sucre*, when an unusual noise was heard in the corridor. Presently Nicette entered, and announced that a porter had arrived with a case directed to Signor Paganini.

"I don't expect any case," said he; "but I suppose he had better bring it in."

Accordingly, a stout porter entered, bearing a good-sized deal box, on which, beside the address, were the words, "Fragile, with care." Paganini examined it with some curiosity, and having paid the messenger, proceeded to open the lid. His long, thin, but extremely muscular fingers accomplished the task without difficulty, and the company whose curiosity caused them somewhat to transgress the bounds of good manners, crowded around in order to see the contents of the box.

The musician first drew out a large packet enveloped in strong brown paper, and secured with several seals. Having opened this, a second and then a third appeared; and at length the curious eyes of twenty persons were regaled with a gigantic wooden shoe, carved out of a piece of ash, and almost large enough to serve for a child's cradle. Bursts of laughter hailed the discovery.

"Ah!" said Paganini, "a wooden shoe, I can guess tolerably well who has sent it. Some of these excellent ladies wish to compare me to a child who always expects presents and never gives any. Well! be it so. We will see if we cannot find some method of making this shoe worth its weight in gold."

So saying, and scarcely saluting the company, Paganini withdrew to his own apartment, carrying with him the case and its contents.

During three days he did not reappear in the drawing-room; Nicette informed the company that he worked from morning till night with carpenter's tools. In fact, the musician, whose hands were wonderously dexterous in other things beside violin playing, had fashioned a perfect and sonorous instrument out of the clumsy wooden shoe. Having enriched it with one silver string his work was complete. Next day a public notice appeared that, on New Year's Eve, Paganini would give a concert in the large hall of the Villa Lutetiania. The great master announced that he would play ten pieces, five on a violin and five on a wooden shoe. The price of tickets was fixed at twenty francs each. Of these only one hundred were issued, and it is needless to add that they were immediately purchased by the *elite* of the *beau monde*, who, during several months had missed the pleasure of hearing Paganini. The appointed evening arrived; the hall, furnished with comfortable chairs, was prepared and lighted for the occasion, elegant equipages were stationed along the Faubourg Poissonniere, and expectation was on tip-toe to know what the announcement respecting the wooden shoe could possibly mean.

At length Paganini appeared, smiling, with every appearance of renewed health, and on his favorite violin played some of those marvelous strains which never failed to transport his auditors to the seventh heaven of delight. Then he seized the shoe, which in its new guise of a violin, still preserved somewhat of its pristine form, and, his whole being lighted up with enthusiasm, he commenced one of those wondrous improvisations which captivated the souls of his hearers. This one represented first the departure of a conscript, the tears, the wailing of his betrothed, then his stormy life in the camp and on the field of battle, and finally his return, accompanied by triumph and rejoicing. A merry peal of wedding-bells completed the musical drama. Long and loud were the thunders of applause; even the old ladies who disliked Paganini could not refrain from clapping, and boquets, thrown by fair and jeweled hands, fell at the feet of the musician. In a corner of the hall, next to the door, Nicette was weeping bitterly; the symphony of the conscript had gone straight to her heart. At the end of the concert the receipts were counted; they amounted to two thousand francs.

"Here, Nicette," said Paganini, "you have five hundred francs over the sum required to purchase a substitute. They will pay your bridegroom's travelling expenses.

Then, after a pause, he continued; "But you will want something wherewith to begin house-keeping. Take this shoe-violin, or this wonderful violin-shoe, and sell it for your dowery."

Nicette did so, and received from a rich amateux six thousand francs for Piganini's wooden shoe.

It is now, we believe, in possession of an English nobleman, who was formerly British Ambassador at Paris.

"IMPOSSIBLE."—The word *impossible* was hateful to Chatham, as it is to all vigorous natures who recognize the latent, the reserved power in men and nations. "Never let me hear that foolish word again," said Mirabeau. "Impossible!—it is not good French," said Napoleon. My Lord Anson, at the Admiralty, sends word to Chatham, then confined to his chamber by one of his most violent attacks of the gout, that it is impossible for him to fit out a naval expedition within the period to which he is limited. "Impossible!" cried Chatham, glaring at the messenger; "who talks to me of impossibilities?" Then starting to his feet, and forcing out great drops of agony from his brow with the excruciating torment of the effort, he exclaimed, "Tell Lord Anson that he serves under a minister who treads on impossibilities!" One of his contemporaries calls all this ranting. "Lord Chatham's rants," he says, "are amazing." But a statesman who indulged in such fine rants as Quebec and Minden, who ranted France out of Germany, America, and India, and ranted England into a power of the first class, is a ranter infinitely to be preferred to those cool and tasteful politicians who ruin the country they govern with so much decorous duncery and grave and dignified feebleness.—["Character and Characteristic Men," by Edwin P. Whipple.

A young Louisville clerk induced a respectable Hoosier girl to run away from her home and go over to Louisville where he promised to marry her. He kept her at a boarding-house two or three days, and made dishonorable proposals to her. She got him into the parlor, locked the door, and cowhided him within an inch of his life, whereat the people said good for the Hoosier girl.

BISMARK AND THE JEW.—Out of Nikolsburg comes the story of a Prussian soldier having been vigorously thrashing a Jewish resident when Count Bismark happened to pass. "What, then, has he done?" asked the Count, as the soldier stopped to salute him. "Hs was abusing the Prussians," replied the soldier. "Not so," cried the man; "I spoke well of the Prussians—only of Bismark." The tittering of the bystanders revealed to the unhappy Jew the mistake he had made. "Let him go," said Bismark quietly; "greater men than he have done that."

A letter to the St. Paul Press, from Fort Benton, Sept. 1, says:

I may mention that a party of five men who came to Montana poor two years ago, came down from the mountain last evening with 2,200 pounds (over one ton) of gold as their pile—the result of one year's digging in "Confederate Gulch." They have a guard of fifteen men, well armed and paid for their time and faithfullness, and are now preparing to go below by the steamer.

The Middlesex Journal,
—AND—
WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

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THE FALL OF THE LEAF.

The time for the falling leaf has once more arrived, and some trees are already stripped of their foliage, while upon others the aspect of ripeness appears. Rains having been frequent and copious during the spring and summer, the quantity of leaves is unusually great, and the harvest will be abundant. Many are in the habit of gathering them as fertilizers, with great advantage; putting them in pig-pens, barn yards, compost heaps, and burying them a little ways beneath the surface. How rapidly and how noiselessly they have been falling in our soft and golden sunbeam October Indian summer days, and how faded and thin and shorn of their full size do they appear. The lively tints they wore of yellow and crimson and other lively tinted and mellow hues, when they put off the green with which they commenced existence, have evaporated in the moist heat of the noon-day sun, and given place to brown and dullish red. There are, however, still green leaves to be seen on the trees, and yellow and scarlet and yellow apparel are worn by many, whose beauty has burst forth in autumn skies, but their holiday dresses must soon disappear as every day lessens their glory and loosens their hold upon branches. Evergreens are beginning to enjoy their triumph, and to come out more distinctly to view as the deciduous trees lay their garlands upon the bosom of mother earth.

But are there no falling leaves among men? Does not time depopulate households, cities and towns, as well as groves and forests, and are there not sere and fallen leaves all along the track of humanity? How changed the face once gay and blooming; and how bare of honors those who were once adorned with the most costly garlands of glory! How many hopes have withered like the leaf, and as sudden, and how desolate are many homes once adorned like a verdant and flowery garden. War, disease, famine, have devastated many homes, and have left whole districts barren of inhabitants.

It is fine pastime and healthful occupation to go out into the fields and woods and select the variegated and faded leaves, and place them in books prepared for the purpose, and varnish them as a means of preservation, that we may exhibit them to our friends, as we show preserved flowers, photograph albums, shells and geological specimens. In the latter we have often petrified leaves and branches, whose delicate tracery is visible, albeit the colors have forever vanished. What rare picture books, and what inimitable colors and mingled shades are thus embalmed for a winter's day and evening; and how the beauties of decay, or ripeness if you please, startle us as we see leaves thus exhibited in contrast with each other, and each having its own style of beauty.

Tread lightly on the fallen leaves which skirt the borders of rivers and ponds, forest paths and public highways, remembering what apt representatives they are of past and passing generations of men, and how lately they were lifted high in the scale of observation, and were made harmonious by sunbeams and by the rays of the moon. Recall how the dew-drops sparkled like gems on the leaves, and what pleasant music the rain made as it pattered on the trees.

Soon *we* shall fade as the leaf, and fall into as obscure graves, and be forgotten as the leaves are when the snow covers our burial places, and monuments crumble, and kindred and friends die, and there is no one left to plant a flower around our hillock and drop a tear and heave a sigh over our ashes.

But spite the sad associations of the fallen leaf, some of the grandest, purest, sweetest thoughts are associated with it, among which are immortality and the resurrection, and ideas of spiritual beauty and moral worth, and the preserving power of God.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Hours at Home.—The November number of this valuable periodical is full of excellent reading. For the family circle, it is one of the most valuable and instructive magazines issued in the country.

Harper's Monthly, for November, is full of good things. Everybody should have it.

Arthur's Home Magazine.—T. S. Arthur, the popular writer, always has one or more of his entertaining stories in this magazine, which has long been a favorite with the reading public. The fashion department will hereafter be under the charge of Mad. Demorest.

Old Farmer's Almanac.—Brewer & Tileston, Boston, have issued this favorite almanac, for 1867, and are now ready to fill all orders for the same.

All the above are for sale at the Woburn Bookstore.

STANDING WOOD AND TIMBER AT AUCTION.—On Tuesday next, 30th inst., S. F. Thompson, Esq., will sell at auction, in lots, the wood and timber standing on thirty acres of land in the northeasterly part of Woburn, near the chemical works. The sale is well worthy the attention of the public, as the wood and timber is of mammoth size, and such as is seldom offered at auction in this region of country. The wood and timber consist of white and pitch pine, oak, maple and birch.

The Crown Prince of Prussia and the Prince Charles, who won the great victories that now gives the leadership of Germany to Prussia, are about thirty years of age, while Benedek and the chiefs on the Austrian side, overwhelmed with defeats, are old fellows of sixty or eighty years of age. Disraeli told the story years ago in "Coningsby"—"The history of heroes is the history of youth."

CONVENTION.—The Sixth Congressional District Convention of "National Union" delegates, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative to the Forthieth Congress, was held on Tuesday last, in Music Hall, Haverhill. The assembly was called to order by James H. Carlton, of the National Union State Committee, and John K. Tarbox, of Lawrence, chosen as permanent chairman. Owen S. Knapp, of Somerville, Dr. J. C. Howe, of Haverhill, A. E. Thompson, of Woburn, and Caleb Saunders, of Lawrence, were elected secretaries of the convention. Twenty-eight towns and cities were represented by 178 delegates. A committee to collect, sort, and count votes for an informal ballot, reported the following result:—

Whole number of ballots,	158
Necessary for a choice,	80
F. O. Prince, of Winchestar, had	79
B. F. Watson, of Lawrence	78
P. A. Cassidy of Charlestown	1

A formal ballot was then taken, with the following result:—

Whole number of ballots	155
Necessary to a choice	78
F. O. Prince had	79
B. F. Watson had	76

On motion the nomination of Mr. Prince was made unanimous.

The committee appointed to nominate a district committee reported the names of the following gentlemen, who were elected:—J. H. Potts, of Charlestown, Stephen Dow, of Woburn, John J. Dolan, of Lawrence, Luther P. Shattuck, O. S. Knapp, of Somerville, C. D. Brown, of Reading, John H. Dike, of Stoneham, Charles S. Parker, of Andover, James Perkins, of Melrose, Charles Clarke of Waltham.

A committee on resolutions reported a series, announcing the Constitution as their platform, and their intention of supporting the President against the radical Congress. The resolutions were adopted, and the convention adjourned, amid cheers for the Constitution, the Union, and Andrew Johnson.

Immediately on the adjournment of above convention, the regular democratic delegates to the Sixth Congressional District Convention were called together, and organized by the choice of A. E. Thompson, of Woburn, as permanent chairman, and O. S. Knapp, of Somerville, and Thomas Swords, of Charlestown, as secretaries. On motion of J. H. Dike, of Stoneham, Mr. F. O. Prnice was nominated by acclamation as the democratic candidate for representative to Congress. The district committee appointed at the preceding convention was adopted as the choice of the convention. The district committee was organized by the choice of Caleb D. Brown, of Readinr, chairman, and John H. Dike, of Stoneham, as secretary.

WOOD AND TIMBER AT AUCTION.—William Winn, Esq., will sell at auction, on Monday, Nov. 11th, at 9 o'clock, A. M., the wood and timber on "Step Rock Lot," in North Woburn. The growth is uncommonly large, and the sale must attract more than ordinary interest. For full particulars see advertising columns.

A HINT TO HOUSEKEEPERS.

MR. EDITOR:—An old adage says, "forewarned, forearmed." A few weeks since one of our citizens purchased himself a handsome outfit at Gage's Emporium, at a cost of about $85. On the Sabbath morning, when ready to don his new suit, he found the overcoat and dress coat gone. Circumstances led the family to believe that the house was entered on the preceding Friday evening, and the clothing taken from the press up stairs, the door having been, as was the custom, unfastened. Last week a nice overcoat and sack were taken from the entry of one of our citizens in the Center, while the family were at tea.

Now, sir, the object of this writing is to suggest to those persons having good clothes, to keep them locked up so long as dry goods rule at so high a figure as at date, and also would recommend the use of the old fashioned bolt, which is so annoying to burglars, and night and day keep the door fastened. If any one have business with the family, it is better to be at the trouble of going to the door, than to be infested by robbers.

And another thing, I would warn the inhabitants of pedlars, that are so numerous and so persistent. By no means leave them alone. A short time since there was one of these pests called at a house, and when told that nothing was wanted, he insisted on seeing the lady of the house. Being informed she was out, he crowded into the entry, and only by telling a fib that she would call the menfolks, did the lady rid herself of the nuisance. Bolt your doors day and night.

CAUTION.

Woburn, Oct. 23, 1866.

LOOK OUT FOR LEAD PAINT.—E. W. Hudson, Esq., of this town, recently lost two nice young heifers, by being poisoned from licking lead paint. The heifers had been running about the buildings where the painters had been at work, the owner not thinking of their licking the paint. As soon as they took the poison on the tongue, it was absorbed into the system, causing partial paralysis, and ending its work in convulsions and death. This case makes the third that I have seen this season. All three proved fatal. There is no known cure for this disease, and people should be very careful about having their cattle about where they can get at this deadly poison; for it is certain death.

F. L. GERALD,
Veterinary Surgeon.

Woburn, Oct. 22d, 1866.

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LADIES, buy your bonnet frames at Coverly's, and be sure of obtaining a real French frame, of the RIGHT SHAPE. Coverly & Co., Tremont, cor. Winter St., Boston.

WINCHESTER.

DONATION SUPPER.—By invitation of Henry B. Metcalf, Esq., the members of Excelsior Fire Company, met at their house on Monday evening last, to partake of a supper which he had provided for them, at his own expense. Two tables extending the length of the hall, were tastefully laid and bountifully spread with hot oysters, cold meats, and the usual et-ceteras of such feasts, with some excellent coffee, to wash them down. About eight o'clock, the company, comprising the firemen and a few invited guests assembled in the hall and were seated at the tables. After a blessing had been invoked by Rev. Mr. Robinson, an attack was made upon the viands, and ample justice done to them, although the supply was so abundant that enough for as many more remained. After satisfying their bodily wants, the company were called to order by the Foreman, Mr. C. H. Dupee, who briefly sketched the object of the gathering, and called upon Mr. H. B. Metcalf, their patron and friend, whose thoughtful liberality had provided this entertainment, to address them. Mr. Metcalf responded in some well chosen remarks, expressing his interest in the Fire Company, and urged upon the members the importance of making the organization a means for the improvement of their minds, and the cultivation of all noble and generous qualities of the heart. He liked the name of their Company, (Excelsior,) and he hoped they would make it the motto of their lives; that they would strive to make themselves better citizens, better husbands and fathers, to excel in all noble and virtuous undertakings, and be continually pressing on higher and higher in the scale of moral excellence. Thus would they gain the approval of men, their own consciences, and that of their God.

After Mr. M. had concluded his remarks, which were heartily applauded, the fathers of the town were called for, and the Selectmen, Messrs. O. R. Clark, D. N. Skillings, and S. W. Townley, responded. The clergy were represented by Rev.'s Messrs. Robinson and Metcalf, the former of whom gave an account of a visit he paid to the grave of a fireman, Wm. B. Rindge, who at a fire in New York many years since sacrificed his own life to save that of a child, in the burning building, and, who after the performance of the heroic deed, vanished from the spot, and foiled all efforts to discover him, until on his death bed he revealed the fact that he was the individual who performed the deed. His remains now lie buried in the little town of Greenland, adjoining Portsmouth, with no stone to mark the spot or record the noble act which caused his early death. Here was an example of the true fireman, and is an evidence of his power in the community.

Rev. Mr. Metcalf was called up by a pleasant allusion to the two Met-calfs, and referred to the fact that this was the second evening in succession that he had spent in an engine house. The previous evening he spoke to an audience composed mostly of firemen, in the engine house at North Woburn, upon their spiritual wants; and on this, he met with great pleasure his fellow citizens upon a different but no less important occasion. He referred to his youthful experience in connection with engine companies, and enlarged upon the suggestions set forth by his namesake, expressing his readiness to aid this organization in all its efforts for the improvement and elevation of its members.

The chairman remarked that though there was no ham upon the tables, yet there was a Ham among them, which was wanted. B. F. Ham, Esq., thus called out, related some pleasing incidents, which brought down the house, to use a common expression. The doctors' services were required, and Drs. Chapin and Winsor administered light doses, which were readily taken. Remarks were also made by C. P. Curtis, Sumner Richardson, E. A. Wadleigh, L. R. Symmes, Albert Ayer, B. T. Livingston, and J. D. Sharon. The wisdom of Solomon was not forgotten, but the venerable sage, who, though taken by surprise, modestly dropped his wise sayings and expressed the hope that the shadow of their benefactor might never be less.

The occasion was a very pleasant one, and must have been very gratifying to Mr. Metcalf, whose generosity prompted it, partly in return for kind offices performed for him, and to the members of the Fire Company, as affording an opportunity to show themselves to their fellow citizens, and to hear from them.

This company was organized shortly after the last annual town meeting, when an appropriation of four hundred dollars was made for this object. It numbers some forty members, and has one of the best fire engines in this vicinity. Success to it, and may its members ever show that its name is the motto of their conduct, and the ornament of their lives.

CRYSTAL WEDDING.—The Crystal Wedding referred to last week came off at the residence of Cyrus W. Blood, on Friday evening of last week. It is said to be in commemoration of the eighteenth return of the wedding day. The presents were as supposed, of glass, and included many useful articles. A collation was among the exercises of the evening. The recipients of these favors were taken by surprise, but bore these ceremonies with becoming meekness, and were pleased at this kind remembrance of the progress of their married lives, on the part of their friends. EXCELSIOR.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Mr. G. Lamkin, 10 Tremont Row, Boston, advertises in our columns to-day, a large and varied stock of boots and shoes.

TOWN LIQUOR AGENCY.—Mr. Munson Johnson, of Woburn, has been appointed by the Selectmen, agent for the sale of spirituous liquors. His residence is on Park street, rear of the Baptist Church, where those in want of liquor for medicinal or mechanical purposes, can procure it.

We would call the attention of ladies to the store of Dayton & Litchfield, 21 Tremont Row, Boston, where they will find a grand assortment of children's Hosiery, gloves, and under garments. See advertisement.

See advertisement of S. H. Libby, 42 Hanover Street, near Court Street, Boston, in another column.

One hundred dollars reward will be paid by Messrs. C. G. Clark & Co., for a medicine that will cure coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, or relieve consumptive cough as quick as Coe's Cough Balsam. Let all our readers know that Coe's Dyspepsia Cure will certainly cure the worst cases in existence, will stop pain after eating as soon as you take it, and is a most excellent article for all diseases of the stomach and bowels.

WOBURN LOCALS.

We learn there is a prospect of holding a Grand Middlesex County Musical Convention, in Woburn, during the coming season, to be held four successive days, during which time there will be two or three public concerts, at which the Oratorio of the "Creatim," and other classical works, will be performed. The chorus will probably number several hundred voices, with talented soloists, and an efficient orchestra. The object of this Convention will be to develop a greater musical interest in this and adjoining towns in the county. We trust that every singer and musician will enter into this rare musical privilege with zeal, and thus endeavor to create a higher appreciation of the divine art.

POLITICAL.—Saturday evening there will be a meeting of the friends of the 8-hour movement, and those in favor of the equalization of bounties, at the Town Hall, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative to the General Court from this district, and such other matters pertaining to the "workingmen's movement" as may properly come before the meeting.

The Union-Republican caucus will be held on the evening preceeding election, Nov. 5th, in Town Hall.

The 6th Senatorial District (Democratic) Convention was held in the Town Hall, Woburn, Friday afternoon. A report of its proceedings will have to be deferred till next week.

PLAY-OUT.—Last Saturday evening the engineer of the new steam fire engine, took the machine to the reservoir at the foot of Summer street, and gave it a new trial. It worked well.

THE TARGET SHOOT.—Owing to the crowded state of the *Journal* last week, the report of the "target shoot" was cut short. The following may perhaps be interesting: Out of about two hundred shots fired at the Associates target, 86 perforated it, and Messrs. F. C. Parker, C. A. Smith, Joseph Dean, H. Clarke, J. R. Kendall, A. J. Parker, E. O. Soles, and O. W. Stevens had shots within the center ring—A. J. and F. C. Parker had two each, and O. W. Stevens had three—making twelve within the inner circle. Some one hundred and fifty shots were fired at Co. G target, 63 of which struck the beard, and Messrs. Charles Wright, John Waters, and Henry Payne each had a single shot within the center, and Peter Peters had two.

—The two large "button wood" trees which for so many years have stood in front of the residence of Dea. John Tidd, on Main street, were removed last week. They will be much missed, but they had ceased to be ornaments, and their removal will doubtless be a benefit to the buildings they shaded.

PERSONAL.—Rev. Daniel W. Waldron, who occupied the pulpit at the 1st Congregational church last Sunday, is a young man of great promise. He conducted the exercises in a pleasant manner, and his sermons were listened to with the deepest attention. He has a voice of extaordinary power, a physical constitution hearty and robust, and if his life is spared, he will doubtless wield a powerful influence for good in whatever field he may be called upon to labor.

FRUIT TREES.—Owners of orchards should bear in mind that now is the time to work vigorously for the destruction of grubs which are now laying eggs that will produce a crop of canker and other worms so destructive to fruit, next spring. Tar, printer's ink, oil, enamelled cloth, tin shields, and other similar inventions are all good, and whitewashing often accomplishes the desired result.

THEFT.—A short time ago a young man named Pensaler Bell, of Wilmington, was driving a team through Woburn, and when near Central Square, one of his wheels broke down, and he "borrowed" one to supply its place from the yard of Mr. S. P. Parker. After some two weeks hunting Mr. Parker found his wheel in Bell's possession, had him arrested and brought before P. L. Converse, Esq., trial justice, who fined him $10 and costs. Borrowing, without leave, is sometimes expensive.

ACCIDENT.—Last Monday, a man in the employ of Mr. J. E. Littlefield, named John Tierney, had one of his feet jammed between the shackles on some coal cars. The foot was burst open, and otherwise mutilated, but it was thought no bones were broken. Drs. Abbott and Drew dressed the wound, and the patient was conveyed to the State Almshouse, at Tewkesbury. LUKE R. BOUT.

Protecting the toes of childerns' Shoes from wear by Metal Tips, has proved a most important and useful invention. But until lately a great mistake in applying them chiefly to the coarser grades of shoes, has been made. For the higher the cost of the shoe the more there is saved by protecting the toe from wear, which can only be done by a Metal-Tip. Genteel Metal-Tipped shoes are now being made and are worn by the best families in the city. Manufacturers could not have conferred a greater public favor than by supplying this great want.—[Boston Journal.

TREATMENT OF THE AGED.—A little thoughtful attention, how happy it makes the old! They have outlived most of the friends of their early youth. How lonely their hours! Often their partners in life have long filled silent graves; often their children they follow to the tomb. They stand solitary, bending on their staff, waiting till the same call shall reach them. How often must they think of absent, lamented faces; of the love which cherished them, and tears of sympathy that fell with theirs, now all gone! Why should not the young cling around and comfort them, cheering their gloom with songs and happy smiles?

An auctioneer was provokingly annoyed by the ludicrous bids of a fellow whose object seemed to be to make sport of the buyers rather than to buy himself. At length, enraged beyond endurance, the knight of the ivory hammer, looking around the room for a champion to avenge his wrongs, fixed his eyes upon a biped of huge dimensions, a very monarch in strength, and cried out:—"Marlow, what shall I give you to put that fellow out?" "I take one five dollar bill." "Done! you shall have it." Assuming the ferocious, knitting his brows, spreading his nostrils like a lion's, and putting on the wolf all over his head and shoulders, old Marlow strode off to the aggressor, and seizing the terrified wretch by the collar, said to him in a whisper that was heard all over the room: "My good friend, you go out with me, I give you half the money." "Done, done!" said the fellow. "Hurrah! hurrah!" shouted the audience. The auctioneer had the good sense to join in the laugh, and coolly forked over the V.

MARRIED.

In Woburn, Oct. 24th, by Rev. M. M. Parkhurst, at the residence of the bride's father, Hiram Whitford, Esq., Mr. Francis F. Putney, of Doherty Co., Georgia, to Miss Hattie A. Whitford.

SCARCITY OF MONEY IN THE SOUTH. All accounts from the Southern States and cities agree in representing that there is, in the whole of that region, a great scarcity of money. Last autumn the South was sending forward a large stock of cotton and a considerable quantity of tobacco, for which high prices were realized. This sum of ready money was in part converted into goods and merchandise, for a supply of which the South was suffering inconvenience, and little was left for the purpose of repairing the damage sustained by plantations, railroads, dwellings, and machinery. To put plantations in order for cultivation, to pay wages, to purchase subsistence and clothing for laborers, required a large sum of money, which could not be obtained from any source. Some capital was advanced by Northern men in aid of the cotton culture, but not enough to bring under cultivation even a tithe of the most productive lands. Even of the Sea Island plantations only a small number have been worked at all. The prospect is not very good for the next year. This is the month when arrangements should be made preparatory to the cotton, rice, and sugar culture for the next season. But no funds come to the aid of the undertaking from the Northern States nor from Europe. One reason is, that the Northern speculators are disappointed in the results of the present season. The cotton tax, capricious labor, and bad seasons have discouraged them. Some of them are influenced also by the representations of the political and personal unfriendliness of a portion of the native white population.—*National Intelligencer.*

Caught with a "Living Widder."—The elder Mr. Weller was caught in a railroad car with a widow. Here is his account of it:

"It was on the rail," said Mr. Weller, with strong emphasis; "I was goin' down to Birmingham by the rail, and I was locked up in a close carriage with a living widder. Alone we was; the widder and me was alone; and I believe it was because we *was* alone and there was no clergyman in the conwayence, that that 'ere widder didn't marry me afore we reached the half-way station. Ven I think how she began screaming as we was goin' under tunnels in the dark—how she kept on a faintin', kitchin hold o' me—and how I tried to burst open the door as wos tight locked and perwented all escape. Ah! it was a awful thing—most awful!"

Men Wanted. The great want of this age is men. Men who are not for sale. Men who are honest, sound from centre to circumference, true to the heart's core. Men who fear the Lord and covetousness. Men who will condemn wrong in friend or foe, in themselves as well as in others. Men whose consciences are as steady as the needle to the pole. Men who will stand for the right if the heavens totter and the earth reels. Men who can tell the truth and look the world and the devil right in the eye. Men that can neither brag nor run. Men that neither swagger nor flinch. Men who can have courage without whistling for it and joy without shouting to bring it. Men in whom the current of everlasting life runs still, and deep, and strong. Men careful of God's honor and careless of men's applause. Men too large for sectarian limits, and too strong for sectarian bands. Men who do not strive, nor cry, nor cause their voices to be heard in the streets, but who will not fail, nor be discouraged, till judgment be set in the earth. Men who know their message and tell it. Men who know their duty and do it. Men who know their place and fill it. Men who mind their own business. Men who will not lie. Men who are not too lazy to work, and too proud to be poor. Men who are willing to eat what they have earned, and wear what they have paid for. Men who know in whom they have believed. Men whose feet are on the everlasting rock. Men who are not ashamed of their hope. Men who are strong with divine strength, wise with the wisdom that cometh from above, and loving with the love of Christ. Men of God!

AN OLD HAND.

Blue-veined and wrinkled, knuckly and brown,
This good old hand is clasping mine;
I bend above it, and looking down,
I study its aspect, line by line.
This hand has clasped a thousand hands
That long have known no answering thrill;
Some have mouldered in foreign lands—
Some in the graveyard on the hill.
Clasped a mother's hand, in the day
When it was little and soft and white—
Mother, who blessed it, and went away,
To sleep till the waking in God's good light.
Clasped in a lover's hand, years agone,
Who sailed away and left her in tears;
Under Sahara's torrid sun,
Its bones have whitened years and years.
Clasped in the hand of a good man true,
Who held it softly, and fell asleep,
And woke no more, and never knew,
How long that impress this would keep.
Clasped so many, so many!—so few
That still respond to the living will,
Or can answer this pressure, so kind and true!—
So many that lie unmoved and still!
Clasped, at last, this hand—my own;
And mine will moulder, too, in turn,
Will any clasp it when I am gone?
In vain I study this hand to learn!

LOVE AND AGE.

I played with you 'mid cowslips blowing,
When I was six and you were four;
When garlands waving, flower-balls throwing,
Were pleasures soon to please no more.
Through groves and meads, o'er grass and heather,
With little playmates, to and fro,
We wandered hand in hand together;
But that was sixty years ago.
You grew a lovely roseate maiden,
And still our early love was strong;
Still with no care our days were laden,
They glided joyously along;
And did I love you, very dearly—
How dearly, words want power to show;
I thought your heart was touched as nearly;
But that was fifty years ago.
Then other lovers came around you,
Your beauty grew from year to year,
And many a splendid circle found you
The center of its glittering sphere.
I saw you then, first vows forsaking,
On rank and wealth your hand bestow;
Oh, then I thought my heart was breaking,
But that was forty years ago.
And I lived on to wed another:
No cause she gave me to repine;
And when I heard you were a mother,
I did not wish the children mine.
My own young flock, in fair progression,
Made up a pleasant Christmas row:
My joy in them was past expression:—
But that was thirty years ago.
You grew a matron, plump and comely,
You dwelt in fashion's brightest blaze;
My earthly lot was far more homely;
But I too had my festal days.
No merrier eyes have ever glistened
Around the hearth-stone's wintry glow,
Than when my youngest child was christened:—
But that was twenty years ago.
Time passed. My eldest girl was married,
And I am now a grandsire gray;
One pet of four years old I've carried
Among the wild-flowered meads to play.
In our old fields of childish pleasure,
Where now, as then, the cowslips blow,
She fills her basket's ample measure,—
And that is not ten years ago.
But though first love's impassioned blindness
Has passed away in colder light,
I still have thought of you with kindness,
And shall do, till our last good-night.
The ever-rolling silent hours
Will bring a time we shall not know,
When our young days of gathering flowers
Will be an hundred years ago.

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

WHOOPING-COUGH CURED.

Cayuga, Hinds County, Miss.

T. ALLCOCK & CO.—Gentlemen: Please send me another six dozen of your Porous Plasters. They are in great demand here for Whooping-cough. They act like a charm. I could have sold two dozen this week if I had had them. Send as soon as possible, and oblige. Yours respectfully,

JOHN I. WILLIAMS, P. M.

ASTHMA CURED.

Mr. Wm. May, of 245 Spring Street, New York, writes, Jan. 1, 1856: I have been afflicted with asthma for upwards of ten years, receiving no benefit from medical men. I was advised by a friend to try one of Allcock's Porous Plasters. I said, I had tried several kinds of plasters without any benefit, and supposed they were all alike. My friend gave me one of Allcock's, and urged me to use it. I did so, and have now worn them steady for nine months, and find myself better than I have been for many years. Agency, Brandreth House, New York. Sold by Druggists. oct 27—1m

MARCHING ON.

Constantly advancing in public favor, throughout the United States, the British Colonies and Spanish America, and needing no

Flourish of Trumpets

to proclaim its success, that standard article,

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE,

is now far ahead of any preparation of its class. People of fashion, at length thoroughly understand the terrible consequences entailed by the use of metallic and caustic preparation, and admit the superiority of this famous vegetable Dye, Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers. oct 27—1m

PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER, after a through trial, by innumerable living witnesses, has proved itself the medicine of the age. Although there have been many medicinal preparations brought before the public since the first introduction of Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer, and large amounts expended in their introduction, the Pain Killer has continued to steadily advance in the estimation of the world as the best Family Medicine ever introduced. It is an internal and external remedy. One positive proof of its efficacy is, that the sales have constantly increased, and wholly upon its own merits. The effect of the Pain Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cold, Cough, Bowel Complaints, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain as an external remedy, in cases of Burns, Bruises, Sores, Sprains, Cuts, Sting of Insects, and other causes of suffering, has secured for it a host of testimony, as an almost infallible remedy, that it will be handed down to posterity as one of the greatest medical discoveries of the nineteenth century.—oct27—1m

50 Acres of
Wood & Timber,
OF 80 YEARS' GROWTH,
AT AUCTION.

On Monday, Nov. 12th, 1866,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at auction, in lots, that well known lot of Wood and Timber, situated in North Woburn, called the "Step Rock Lot." Said wood consists of a large growth of Oak, Maple, Pitch and White Pine, and cannot be excelled by any lot of wood in this section of the State, for quantity and quality per acre. The location is excellent, and is accessible at all seasons of the year. It borders on the street leading from the residence of Charles Eames, Esq., to the Chemical Works, in North Woburn, at the Boston & Lowell Railroad, is within forty rods of said road, and one mile from Dea. Stephen Richardson's Saw Mill.

This sale offers the best opportunity to Wheelwrights and other persons desirous of purchasing Oak, Pitch and White Pine Timber, suitable for sawing and other purposes, that has been offered to the public, at auction, in this vicinity for years.

☞ There is on said lot a large amount of Oak Timber Trees, suitable for KNEES, for Ship Builders' use.

This sale is worthy of the public notice, for it is no exaggeration to say that this is the LARGEST AND BEST growth of wood and timber that there is now standing in this section of the State.

COME ALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES!

By order of GEO. R. BALDWIN.

WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.

P. S.—If stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1866.—2t

LARGE SALE OF
Farming Stock!
AT AUCTION, IN WOBURN.

WILL be sold at Auction, on WEDNESDAY, 31st inst., at 9 o'clock, A. M., at the residence of John B. Doyle, in the westerly part of Woburn (the farm was formerly occupied by John Weston, Esq.) a great variety of personal property, viz:

12 Extra Cows (6 of them coming in shortly,) 1 Fat Hog—dress 400 lbs. 30 Fowls, 2 Chaise—one very nice one, 1 Horse Cart, 2 Ox Carts, 1 Hay Rack, 1 Horse Sled, Market Pung, Wheelbarrow, 1 Hay-Cutter, Large Feed Trough, Grind Stone, Portable Boiler, 2 Market Wagon Harnesses, 2 Light Harnesses, Lot of English Hay, 5 tons Meadow Hay, Lot of Barley Fodder, lot of Corn Fodder, 100 bushels of Corn on the ear, 25 bushels Sweet Corn on the ear, 2 tons of Squashes, 1 acre of Savoy Cabbage, Ploughs, Harrows, Cultivators, Chains, Shovels, Hoes, Iron Bars, Hay and Manure Forks, and a great variety of articles not enumerated. Also, a variety of Household Furniture.

Woburn, Oct. 27th, 1866. 1t WM. WINN, Auctioneer.

STANDING WOOD AT AUCTION.

I SHALL sell at Auction, on FRIDAY, Nov. 2d, 1866, at 1 o'clock, P. M., in lots, all the Wood standing upon about 12 acres of land, situated on the road leading from "Richardson's Row" in Winchester to Stoneham, and near the line between said towns.

The growth consists principally of Oak and Walnut, and is of a superior quality. Access perfectly easy at all seasons. Terms at the sale. If stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day at the same hour. This sale affords a good opportunity for buyers in Winchester, East Woburn, and Stoneham, to supply themselves.

By order of S. S. RICHARDSON and others.

S. F. THOMPSON, Auctioneer.

oct 27—1t

Extensive Sale of
STANDING WOOD
AND
TIMBER!
At Auction.

I SHALL sell at auction, on TUESDAY, the 30th of October, at 9 o'clock, A. M., all the WOOD and TIMBER situated upon about THIRTY ACRES of land in the North-easterly part of *Woburn*, and one fourth of a mile East of *Woburn Chemical Works*. This sale affords to buyers of Wood and Timber, either for the *market* or *their own use*, an opportunity such as can but seldom offer, as this is one of those lots of *old* and *heavy growth* that have become so rare in this section of the country. The growth consists of White and Pitch Pine, Oak, Maple and Birch. Access to the lot is perfectly easy at all seasons. Should the weather be stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour. Terms at the sale.

By order of Mrs. RUTH LEATHE.

S. F. THOMPSON, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Oct. 20th, 1866. 2t

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF
Dwelling House and Land!
IN READING.

BY virtue of a license from the Probate Court of Middlesex County, I shall sell at Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of October, at 4 o'clk, P. M., on the premises, the large two-story house and sheds, with ¼ acre of land, on High street, directly opposite the depot of the B. & M. R. Road, belonging to the heirs of the late Lois Parker. Said house is commodious. It has 22 large rooms, arranged for two or four families, all finished in good order. For full particulars, inquire of HARRISON PARKER, Guardian, 173 Blackstone street, Boston, or of WM. H. TEMPLE, Auctioneer, in Reading. oct13—3t*

Notice.

THE Trustees of the Stoneham Five Cent Savings Bank are requested to meet at the Bank rooms, No. 52 Main Street, Stoneham, on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 7th, at 6 1-2 o'clock, P. M.

IRA GERRY, Secretary.

Stoneham, Oct. 26, 1866.—1t*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. G. BOWDLEAR & CO.

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RYE FLOUR, BOLTED IND. MEAL, CRACKED WHEAT, BECKER'S FARINA, OAT MEAL, PEARL BARLEY, OAT FLOUR, RYE MEAL, OAT GROATS, PEARLED WHEAT, WHITE MEAL, WHEAT CORN FLOUR, RUN-DRIED CORN MEAL, BUCK WHEAT FLOUR, HOMINY & SAMP, MAIZENA AND CORN STARCH,

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THE CAMP, THE BATTLE FIELD AND THE HOSPITAL;

Or, Lights and Shadows of the Great Rebellion.

There is a certain portion of the war that will never go into the regular histories, nor be embodied in romance or poetry, which is a very real part of it, and will, if preserved, convey to succeeding generations a better idea of the spirit of the conflict than many dry reports or careful narratives of events, and this part may be called the gossip, the fun, the pathos of the war. This illustrates the character of the leaders, the humor of the soldiers, the devotion of women, the bravery of men, the pluck of our heroes, the romance and hardships of the service.

The volume is profusely illustrated with over 100 engravings by the first artists, which are *really beautiful*; worthy of examination as specimens of art. The book's contents include reminiscences of camp, picket, spy, scout, bivouac, seige, and battle-field adventures; thrilling feats of bravery, wit, drollery, comical and ludicrous adventures, etc.

Amusement as well as instruction may be found in every page, as graphic detail, brilliant wit, and authentic history are skillfully interwoven in this work of literary art.

This work sells itself. The people are tired of dry details and partisan works, and want something humorous, romantic and startling. Our agents are making from $100 to $200 per month, clear of all expenses. Send for circulars, giving full particulars, and see our terms and proof of the above assertion. Address NATIONAL PUBLISHING CO., 118 Water Street, Boston, Mass.

WANTED—AGENTS, to sell Rev. D. C. EDDY'S works, "The Cottage Library," by the set or single volume. The best canvassing books ever published. Exclusive territory given. Good inducements. Send for circular. HORACE WENTWORTH, Publisher, 119 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

THE RURAL AMERICAN.

FREE!—The best Paper for Farmers, Gardeners, Fruit Growers, &c., in this country, published at Utica, N.Y., for $1.50 a year, and every subscriber receiving the worth of his money in *Gratuities* of choice Grape Vines, Strawberry Plants, &c., the best in existence, and splendid Steel-Plate Engravings, worth $2.00 each. The paper is *free* from now till January. Send for samples, with full details. No charges. Club Agents wanted in every town. Address, T. B. MINER, Clinton, Oneida Co., N.Y., where my editorial office and farm are located.

HAMMONTON FRUIT LANDS.

THE best opportunity to secure a home; mild and healthy climate; soil suitable for all crops; the BEST FRUIT LAND IN THE UNION; best of markets—being New York and Philadelphia; from $200 to $500 per acre cleared from small fruit; a large population already located; hundreds are settling; good society; perfectly healthy; soft water; all advantages. Lands for sale in and around the famous Hammonton Fruit settlement, 30 miles from Philadelphia. A large tract is now divided into Farms to suit the actual settler. Price for 20 acres and upwards from $20 to $30 per acre. Five and ten acre lots for sale. Terms liberal; title perfect. For full information address BYRNES & JONES, Hammonton, New Jersey. All letters answered.

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Children and Youths' genteel thorough-made Metal-Tipped Shoes; also, Boots and Shoes with the new UNION Tip (a Metal Tip over a Patent Leather Tip), always on hand.

FIELD, THAYER & WHITCOMB, Boston, Mass.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

CATARRH, Bronchits, Scrofula, Liver and Kidney Diseases. Nature's Remedials from Plants. WM. R. PRINCE, Flushing, New York, for 60 years proprietor of the Linnæn Nurseries, has discovered POSITIVE CURES for the above and all Inherited and Chronic Diseases, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, Rheumatism, all Female Maladies, and others resulting from impurity of the blood, hitherto incurable. Explanatory circular, one stamp. Treatise on all diseases, 20 cents.

MARRIAGE AND CELIBACY, an Essay of warning and instruction for young men; also Diseases and Abuses which prematurely prostrate the vital powers, with sure means of relief. Sent Free of Charge, in sealed letter envelopes. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa.

USE
PENNY'S
EGYPTIAN LOTUS
FOR THE
HANDKERCHIEF.

UPHOLSTERY GOODS,
WINDOW SHADES,
WINDOW SHADE FIXTURES,
HOLLANDS AND LINENS,
Lace and Nottingham Lace Curtains,
CURTAIN CORNICES,
Table Oil Cloths, Enameled Cloths, Picture Cords, &c., &c. May be found Wholesale and Retail at
COPP & PEAR'S,
387 Washington Street, Boston.

LATEST NOVELTIES
—IN—
DROP TRIMMINGS, BEAD GIMPS, CHENILLE FRINGES.
One Case Colored Velvet Ribbons,
in choice shades, at very low prices.
CROCHET, VELVET AND JET BUTTONS;
BELTINGS; PEARL, STEEL AND JET BELT CLASPS,
New styles, in great variety.
CORSETS! CORSETS!
Our regular make of German Corsets gives universal satisfaction, and our prices are extremely low.
We shall open on MONDAY, October 22, one case
NEW SLIPPER PATTERNS,
among which may be found some of the richest designs ever offered in this market.
GLOVES, HOSERY,
UNDER-CLOTHING,
FOR LADIES, GENTLEMEN & CHILDREN,
in great variety, and selected expressly for our retail trade.
We invite particular attention to our COTTON and WOOL RIBBED HOSE, for Ladies and Misses, they being of superior quality, and manufactured expressly for us.
JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.
17 Tremont Row, Boston.
oct 27—1m ONE PRICE ONLY.

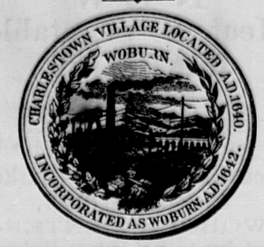
G. LAMKIN,
DEALER IN
Boots and Shoes,
No. 10 Tremont Row,
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Established in 1849.
Jobbing & Retail.
EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.
EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF
Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Boots and Shoes,
OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE.
Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.
G. LAMKIN,
NO. 10 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct27—3m

NEW
Fall & Winter Goods.
CHANDLER & CO.
have received, and are now opening at their NEW STORE,
Nos. 27 & 29 Winter Street,
BOSTON,
THEIR IMPORTATION OF
FALL & WINTER GOODS,
comprising an EXTENSIVE and ELEGANT stock of the following articles:—
FRENCH CASHMERE SHAWLS.
INDIA CASHMERE SHAWLS.
WOOLEN SHAWLS, new styles.
CHENILLE SHAWLS, new styles.
CLOAKS.
CLOTHS for WINTER GARMENTS.
BLACK SILKS, superior makes.
FANCY SILKS, new and beautiful colors.
FRENCH MERINCS.
FRENCH REPS.
PRINTED M. DELAINES.
PLAIN M. DELAINES.
FRENCH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
IRISH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
FRENCH PRINTS.
ENGLISH PRINTS.
ARTICLES for MOURNING.
EMBROIDERIES.
HOSIERY and GLOVES.
Also a complete stock of
HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,
consisting of
Cottons, Linens, Linen Damasks, Damask Table-Cloths and Napkins Blankets and Quilts.
All of which will be offered at the lowest market prices, at
Wholesale and Retail.
oct 27—1m

Stereoscopes
AND
VIEWS.
JOSEPH L. BATES,
129 Washington Street . . . Boston,
Offers for sale a very superior stock of foreign Stereoscopic Pictures of recent importation.
Also, American Views of the War—Boston—Niagara—New York—White Mountains—Cape Ann, &c., &c., &c., THE BEST STEREOSCOPES, always for sale. The prices will be found low.
oct 27—1m

PRINTING INK
Has been pronounced the best article yet discovered to prevent the ascent of grubs upon trees. A few applications to the trunk of a tree at this season, will effectually keep them down. Those who may wish to try the virtues of this article, can procure some, at one-half the usual rates, on application at the *Journal* office, Woburn. oct27—3t

Town Warrant.



Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn, in said County, Greeting:

IN the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Woburn, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Woburn, on Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, it being the sixth day of said month, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to bring in their votes to the Selectmen, for a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor of Accounts, and Attorney General, for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; one County Commissioner and Clerk of the Courts, for the County of Middlesex; one Councillor, for District No. 6; a Representative, to represent the Sixth Massachusetts District in the fortieth Congress; one Senator, for the Sixth Middlesex District—all on one ballot. Also, for one Representative, to represent the Twenty-second Middlesex District in the next Legislature of Massachusetts.

The polls will be closed at half past four, P. M.

And you are also required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Woburn, qualified as aforesaid, to meet at the same place, on the same day, at two o'clock, P. M., to act on the following articles, viz:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see if the town will accept the List of Jurors, as reported by the Selectmen.

Art. 3. To see if the town will accept of the bequest of the late Sewell Flagg, and determine what disposition shall be made of it.

Art. 4. To hear and act on the report of the Soldiers' Monument Committee.

Art. 5. To see if the town will give the Monument Committee any further instructions in regard to the location and erection of the Soldiers Monument, or do any thing in relation to the same.

Art. 6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase any land for the enlargement of the Cemetery, or do any thing in relation to the same.

Art. 7. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, on laying out a street, leading from Railroad to Green street, as petitioned for by Joshua Stoddard and others.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by causing the same to be published seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, in the Middlesex Journal.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to ourselves, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands, and the seal of the Town affixed, this twenty-third day of October, A. D., 1866.

CHARLES CHOATE,
E. E. THOMPSON,
JACOB BROWN,
D. O. BLANCHARD,
E. F. POOLE,
WILLIAM TOTMAN,
LUKE R. TIDD,
F. C. PARKER,
} Selectmen of Woburn.

A True Copy. Attest,
EDWARD SIMONDS,
Constable of Woburn.

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,
HOSIERY, GLOVES,
AND
UNDER GARMENTS.
Dayton & Litchfield,
21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct 27—3m

MY POLICY,
To give any customer a good THIBET DRESS, for $1 a yard.
A good pair of CASHMERE HOSE, for 25 cents.
A good pair of All Wool BLANKETS for $5 to $10
All Wool Twilled FLANNEL for 37 1-2 c pr yd.
PRINTS, fast colors, for 15 cts. per yard.
LADIES' GARMENTS, from $5 to $20.
KID GLOVES, from 75 cts. to $1.25 a pair.
Fine lot of CHENILLE SHAWLS cheap.
S. H. LIBBY,
42 *Hanover, near Court Street, Boston.*
oct 27—1m

HEADQUARTERS FOR
FIGS
IN DWARF PACKAGES.
J. F. CONANT & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Fruit Dealers. FIGS in ¼, ½, ¾ and 1 lb. round and oval boxes CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
50 & 51 Chatham Street.....Boston.
J. F. CONANT, F. F. CONANT, H. GREEN.
oct 27—3m

JOB LOT 120 DOZ. BEST
GERMAN CORSETS,
(Warranted Whalebone,)
AT RETAIL $1.37 A PAIR.
JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.,
17 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct 27—1m ONE PRICE ONLY.

WINE, GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE
Thibet, $1,
—AT—
CURRIER'S.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS
AT BIG BARGAINS!
—AT—
CURRIER'S.
94 Hanover Street, Boston.

Bargains! Bargains!
—IN—
SHAWLS, BALMORALS
—AND—
BLACK SILKS,
CURRIER'S.
oct 13—1m 94 Hanover St., Boston.

Bill-heads printed at this office.
Cards printed at this Office

Ho! Ye Costive Ones!
COME TO THE HEALING FOUNT!
SANBORN'S PILLS
Will cure CONSTIPATION, all BILLIOUS DISORDERS, and HEADACHE.
They do not gripe, and are sure to operate.
J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.
will give them to you for 25 cents a box. Try them!
oct27

FRUIT TREES
AND
GRAPE VINES,
SMALL FRUITS, ROSES, SHRUBS, PLANTS AND
HOLLAND FLOWER ROOTS.
An extensive, complete, first class stock, offered in quantities as desired, at low prices. Sample lots shown at Cellar 28 Water street. Catalogues now ready.
B. T. WELLS & CO.,
oct27—3t 7 Water st., Boston.

JOHN C. OSGOOD,
DEALER IN
Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,
No. 33 Winter St., Boston.
The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of
NEW GOODS,
Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the
Cheapest Market Prices.
JOHN C. OSGOOD.
oct20—3m

LEARNARD & HARTLEY.
CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
oct20 :3m BOSTON.

WHEELER & WILSON'S
LOCK STITCH
Sewing Machines!
HAVE TAKEN THE
Highest Premiums
At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.
Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind.
For FAMILY SEWING.
For TAILORING.
For DRESS MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.
For SKIRT MAKING.
For SHIRT MAKING.
For CLOAK MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.
IN FACT,
For every king of Practical Sewing,
WHEELER & WILSON'S
IS THE ONLY ONE IN USE.
H. C. HAYDEN,
AGENT,
Office, 228 Washington St.,
oct20—3m Cor. Summer street, Boston

Buy Your FLOUR, GRAIN AND Groceries OF Stearns, Hart & Co.

A. B. COFFIN,
ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR at LAW
No. 4 NILES BLOCK, BOSTON
Entrance from Court Square and 33 School St.

WANTED:
3 or 4 Good Knivesmen,
THAT can Puff, Skive and Green Shave. None need apply but the best workmen. Wages good and steady work.
FAIRBROTHER & FALES,
oct20—2t* Pawtucket, R. I.

MRS. TODD
TAKES this opportunity of informing the ladies of Woburn that she is prepared to COLOR, CLEAN AND DO UP
Old Straw Hats & Bonnets,
at her residence, Lowell street. Also, DRESS MAKING done at short notice.
Any work or orders left with Mrs. LOCKERBY, Watchmaker, will be promptly attended to.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—4t

MISS EMMA A. WILSON,
Teacher in Wax Flowers, Water Colors and Drawing, Bank Block.
Class hours from 1 to 5 o'clk, Saturday afternoons. Specimens may be seen at the Post Office, where further particulars may be obtained.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—2t*

Notice.
THE INTERNAL REVENUE TAX will be payable at the office of the Woburn Agricultural and Mechanic Association, in Woburn Center, as heretofore. Office days, MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, from the twentieth to the last day of the month, from 9 o'clock, A. M., to 12, M.; from 2 o'clock, P. M., to 5, P. M. The last day of the month (Sunday excepted), from 2 o'clock, P. M., to 7, P. M.
WILLIAM WINN,
Deputy Collector.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

NEW GOODS.

LADIES' KID GLOVES,
Only 60 cents per pair.
HEAD NETS, 10 cents.
CHILDREN'S WHITE WOOLEN HOSE, 15 and 20 cents per pair.
BLACK & WHITE BALMORAL SKIRTS, $2.00.
LADIES' EMBROIDERED HDK'FS, 37 cents.
WOOLEN YARNS (all colors) 10 cts. per skein.
FANCY SOAP, per box (3 cakes) 15 cents.
25 PAPER COLLARS for 10 cents.
DRESS BRAIDS (all colors) 10 cents.
CRIMPED PAPER COLLARS, 20 cents per box.
VELVET DRESS BUTTONS, 42 cents per doz.
A LOT OF LADIES' SLEEVE BUTTONS, new styles, 37 cts. per set.
HOOP SKIRTS, 83 cents and $1.00.
LOTS OF OTHER GOODS, EQUALLY LOW.

CHARLES W. MACY,
LYCEUM BULDING.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—2t

TO THE RUBBER SOLE SHOE COMPANY, a corporation duly organized under the Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and having its place of business at Stoneham, in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealti aforesaid:
Please take notice that it is my intention, for breach of the condition thereof to foreclose the mortgage on personal property made and executed by you to me. Said mortgage is lated the twenty-fifth day of September, A. D., 1865, and is recorded in the Town Cerk's office in sail town of Stoneham, in Book of Mortgages, No. 3, Page 212.
Dated this ninth day of October, A.D., 1866.
W. S. BAILEY,
Trustee, Mortgagee.

Received this Day:
ONE BALE
RUSSIA CRASH,
At 12 1-2 Cents per yard!
CHAS. A. SMITH,
Bank Building.
Woburn, Oct. 13, 1866.

AN ENTIRE NEW STOCK
OF
MILLINERY
MRS. L. M. DALTON has fitted up the store recently occupied by Mr. Carnes, and stocked it with an ENTIRE NEW STOCK of MILLINERY.
She has on hand a full and complete set of stamps for embroidery stamping, and will attend promptly to all orders.
Wade Block, cor. Main & Park Sts.
oct13—3t

CARPET BUYERS
Are invited to examine a large consignment of the
NEWEST STYLES
—OF—
ENGLISH AND DOMESTIC CARPETINGS,
For sale at RETAIL at WHOLESALE PRICES, by
William H. Browne,
PAVILION CARPET ROOMS,
53 & 55 Tremont Street,
(In the rear of McGilvray's Auction Rooms.)
N. B.—CARPETS LEASED. oct 13—1m

PERSON'S ORIGINAL
WEATHER STRIP DEPOT,
151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151
Opposite Old South Church, Boston.
THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.
Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter*.
Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.
LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.
oct20—3m

Pictures Framed
IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.
SPARROW HORTON,
feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
Druggists & Apothecaries,
No. 5 Wade Block,
Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock!
The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of
Drugs, Chemicals,
ETC., ETC.,
and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with
RELIABLE GOODS.
A full assortment of all the most popular
PATENT MEDICINES
OF THE DAY,
Constantly on hand. Our stock of
SOAPS,
PERFUMERY,
TOOTH BRUSHES,
ETC.,
will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of
Physicians' Prescriptions,
and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.
☞ If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.
We shall make a specialty of
Fresh Herbs,
AND SHALL KEEP
A FULL VARIETY.
We have also added to the Stock
SOME CHOICE BRANDS
OF
CIGARS
AND
TOBACCO!
CIGARS
BY THE BOX,
VERY LOW.
☞ We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public. ☜

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
No. 5 Wade Block.
J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PASSPORTS
Furnished to persons going to Foreign Countries, by
JAMES B. BELL,
NOTARY PUBLIC AND COMMISSIONER
FOR ALL THE
STATES AND TERRITORIES;
For the Acknowledgement of Deeds, Powers of Attorney, Affidavits, Depositions, &c.
No. 4 State, corner Washington Street,
oct20—4t BOSTON.

HUNNEWELL'S
UNIVERSAL COUGH REMEDY.
Ten Years have clearly proved that the theory of simplicity, the great element of this splendid preparation, which allows its use whenever there is tickling of irritation in the Throat, and producing no debility, is the only and true theory by which *Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, Bronchial Complaints*, and all *Throat Affections*, which, if neglected, end in *Consumption*, can be effectually cured.
☞ *Sore Throat*, the great origin of *Diphtheria*, when neglected, is cured by making a *Gargle* with equal parts of water.
☞ *Whooping Cough* is completely relieved of its violence by a constant use of the remedy.
☞ Testimonials of undoubted character can be seen at my office by all.
Small Bottles, 25 cts. Large do. 50 cts.
☞ Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Medicine.
JOHN L. HUNNEWELL, Proprietor.
Practical Chemist, 9 Commercial Wharf, Boston, Mass. oct6—1m

Best and Cheapest Insurance!
THE ORIGINAL
TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.,
INSURES AGAINST
ALL ACCIDENTS.
ALSO AGAINST
Loss of Life from Any Cause,
Whether Disease or Accident,
WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!
Paid up Capital, $500,000,
With a Large Surplus.
LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.
GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*
$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000
was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.
☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.
J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.
oct 6—3m

House and Land For Sale.
THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to
EDWARD W. BROOKS.
Woburn, Oct. 6th, 1866. 2t*

WHY WILL YOU SUFFER?
The remedy is within reach of all. *Smolander's Compound Fluid Extract of Buchu*, will cure you of all *Kidney Diseases, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy*, and *Chronic Gonorrhœa* and will renew and restore your exhausted and falling energies. If you have been a too eager *votary of pleasure* nothing will do you so much good as *Smolander's Extract Buchu*. For many diseases incident to females, *Smolander's Buchu* is a sure and sovereign remedy. *Get the Genuine. Price Only One Dollar.*
Sold by W. C. BRIGHAM.
and Apothecaries generally.
BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, General Agents.
ASK FOR SMOLANDER'S BUCHU.
june30

NEW
FISH MARKET.
THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of
FRESH AND SALT FISH,
OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,
and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.
All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage.
JAMES A. YOUNG.
Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

Choice English
Breakfast Tea,
FOR SALE BY
URBANE DERBY.
aug4

"Do Not Delay,"
BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,
INSURANCE AGENT,
feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

S. S. HOUGHTON'S
POPULAR STORE
ENLARGED.
We have enlarged our New Store opposite the Boston Museum, by adding the basement; rendering it still more commodious for the goods, which we are offering at reduced prices.

In the Basement.
Quilts, Blankets, Cottons, Linens, Diapers, Towels, Crashes, Flannels, Plaid Cambrics, Brilliants, Book and Swiss Muslins, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Balmorals, &c.

On the First Floor.
Every variety Fine French *Flowers, Feathers, Roses, &c.*, every new style Ladies' and Children's Straw and Felt *Bonnets, Hats, Turbans, Frames, Bonnet Ribbons, Velvets, &c.*, at very low prices. Also, all kinds *Embroideries, Lace Goods, Linen Collars, Lace Veils, Umbrellas and Sun Shades.*
OUR DEPARTMENT OF
LADIES' UNDER-GARMENTS
contains a full assortment of every thing wanted, *Ready-made.*
All Goods warranted perfect; if found imperfect, the money will be refunded.
Store 45 and 47 Tremont Street,
BOSTON,
Nearly opposite the Museum. Also at our old stand,
OPPOSITE THE TREMONT HOUSE.
S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.
oct20

Burning Fluid,
40 Cents per Gallon.
THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.
B. F. HEBARD & SON,
149 Broad street, Boston, Mass.
oct6—3m

INDIAN HOSTILITIES.—From all quarters at the West come alarming reports about Indian disturbances, as with a simultaneous movement they are said to be slaughtering emigrants on the plains, openly proclaiming hostilities in New Mexico, and invading Texas along the whole northern frontier. A letter from Montana, written by Gen. Fisk, positively states that more than three hundred emigrants have been massacred by the Indians on the "Bowsman's Cut-off" route alone this season, 70 men haveing been killed at one battle near the Yellowstone a few weeks since, and that the whole route is strewn with fresh graves. In Texas, according to statements just received, thousands of cattle have been carried off and quite a number of persons either killed or captured. The Governor having called for more troops, Gen. Sheridan has directed that adequate protection be given: meanwhile a special agent will go to Washington to urge the acceptance of volunteers. In all this there seems to be some support of the theory so confidently maintained, particularly in military circles, that Indians systematically renew hostilities, (after having arranged the terms of peace, and received presents,) in hope of deriving further advantage from efforts to obtain their friendship.

G. R. GAGE,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
New Bank Building, Woburn,
RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he is now located in his new store, where, with increased facilities, he is ready to fill their orders with promptness and despatch.
BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS
made in the best style, and warranted to fit.
Particular attention paid to making
Boys' Clothing,
He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.
FURNISHING GOODS
of all kinds, and of the best qualities, constantly on hand.

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY.
FRANK B. DODGE, Practical Watchmaker. Also dealer in CLOCKS, WATCHES, GOLD CHAINS, LOCKETS, JEWELRY, SPECTACLES, Fine Silver Plated Ware, "plated on genuine Albata," Silver Spoons, Butter, Fruit and Pie Knives Napkin Rings, Coral Beads, Thermometers, &c.
☞ Engraving to order.
Clocks, Watches and Jewelry repaired.
VIOLIN STRINGS constantly on hand.
AGENT FOR
Mason & Hamlin's Cabinet Organs.

BOSTON AND LOWELL
And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.
ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—
Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8† am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8†, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m.
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am. 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.
The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.
TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.
Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00‡ p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7.22, 8.30, a.m, 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.22, 5.44, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9.46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.30, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place, 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.59, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.
*On or arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.
The 7.09 A. M., and 2.15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.
Woburn Branch.
Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.
Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.25, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.
*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.
†Wednesdays at 10.15 p m.
Stoneham Branch.
The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham ‡ at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.
Leave Stoneham† for Boston, at 5.52, and 7.32, 8.52, 10.15, A.M., 1.00, 4.52, and 6.30, P M.
‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.
¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.
J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent,
B. L. and N. & L. R R.

Oysters and Clams!
AT
YOUNG'S
WOBURN FISH MARKET.

CROCKERY,
Glass, China, Parian & Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.

PLATED WARE.
Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,
TABLE CUTLERY,
a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.
ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.
E. B. MASON,
33 Hanover, near Court street, Boston.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

FOWLE & CO.,

No. 164 WASHINGTON ST.,

BOSTON.

IMPORTERS OF

CARPETINGS

in every variety of style & quality.

PURCHASERS AT R TAIL

SHOULD EXAMINE THEIR STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

FOWLE & CO.,

164 Washington Street.

oct6—2m

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,

AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,

And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.

CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

sept29—1y

A HUMBUG.

HOW OFTEN WE HEAR THIS EXPRESSION from persons reading advertisements of Patent Medicines, and in nine cases out of ten they may be right. It is over 19 years since I introduced my medicine, the VENETIAN LINIMENT, to the public. I had no money to advertise it, so I left it for sale with a few druggists and storekeepers through a small section of the country, many taking it with great reluctance; but I told them to let any one have it, and if it did not do all I stated on my pamphlet, no one need pay for it. In some stores two or three bottles were taken on trial by persons present. I was, by many, thought crazy, and that would be the last they would see of me. But I knew my medicine was no humbug. In about two months I began to receive orders for more Liniment, some calling it my valuable Liniment, who had refused to sign a receipt when I left it at their store. Now my sales are millions of bottles yearly, and all for cash. I warrant it superior to any other medicine for the cure of Croup, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Vomiting, Spasms, and Sea sickness, as an internal remedy. It is perfectly innocent to take internally, see oath accompanying each bottle,—and externally for Chronic Rhumatism, Headache, Mumps, Frosted Feet, Bruises, Sprains, Old Sores, Swellings, Sore Throats, &c., &c. Sold by all the Druggists. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

sept 29—7w

STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from *whatever cause*. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR.

jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT St., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

JOB PRINTING NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

REDUCTION IN PRICE

OF THE

American Watches,

Made at WALTHAM, Mass.

In consequence of recent great improvements in our facilities for manufacturing we have reduced our prices to as low a point as they can be placed

With Gold at Par,

so that no one need hesitate to buy a watch now from the expectation that it will be cheaper at some future time. The test of ten years, and the manufacture and sale of

More than 200,000 Watches,

have given our productions the very highest rank among time keepers. Commencing with the determination to make only thoroughly excellent watches, our business has steadily increased as the public became acquainted with their value, until, for months together, we have been unable to supply the demand. We have repeatedly enlarged our factory buildings until they cover over three acres of ground, and give accommodation to more than eight hundred workmen.

We are fully justified in saying that we now make MORE THAN ONE-HALF OF ALL THE WATCHES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES. The different grades are distinguished by the following trade-marks on the plate:

1. "American Watch Co." Waltham, Mass.
2. "Appleton, Tracy & Co." Waltham, Mass.
3. "P. S. Bartlett," Waltham Mass.
4. "Wm. Ellery."
5. OUR LADIES' WATCH of the first quality is named "Appleton, Tracy & Co." Waltham, Mass.
6. Our next quality of Ladies' Watch is named "P. S. Bartlett," Waltham, Mass. These watches are furnished in a great variety of sizes and styles of cases.

The American Watch Co., of Waltham, Mass., authorize us to state that without distinction of trade-marks or price,

ALL THE PRODUCTS OF THEIR FACTORY ARE FULLY WARRANTED

to be the best time-keepers of their class ever made in this or any other country. Buyers should remember that unlike the guarantee of a foreign maker who can never be reached, this guarantee is good at all times against the Company or their agents, and that after the most thorough trial, any watch should prove defective in any particular, it may be always exchanged for another. As the American Watches made at Waltham are for sale by dealers generally throughout the country, we do not solicit orders for single watches.

CAUTION.—The public are cautioned to buy only of respectable dealers. All persons selling counterfeits will be prosecuted.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,

AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY,

182 BROADWAY, N.Y.

oct6—1m

BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

aug 11—6m

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

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FOR FALL SALE.

JUST RECEIVED

a full stock of

ENGLISH & AMERICAN Carpetings,

ALL GRADES

The very latest styles.

ALSO,

Oil Cloths from 3 to 24 feet wide,

from the most reliable manufacturers, all of which will be sold at the very

LOWEST PRICES.

Parties furnishing houses will not omit to see our stock before purchasing.

NEW GOODS received daily from steamers and the best manufacturers.

GOLDTHWAIT, SNOW & KNIGHT,

No. 33 Washington St., Boston.

sept 15—8t

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,396,272.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN MCGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, Ass't Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

FURS!

M. WALKO & CO.

Respectfully inform their Friends and Customers, that their well selected stock of

FURS,

Manufactured by M. WALKO personally, is now ready for inspection. Also wish to inform Ladies who have

Old Furs to Alter or Repair,

not to leave it too late in the season, as the earlier they are brought the better attention can be paid to them.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE—NOT IN THE MERCANTILE BUILDING, AS FORMERLY, BUT DIRECTLY OPPOSITE NEXT DOOR TO HOVEY & CO.'s., Boston.

Also, a good assortment of

LADIES' & CHILDREN'S HATS,
LADIES' RIDING HATS.

oct13—3t

FURS! FURS!

Ladies who have FURS that need REPAIRING or ALTERING, are reminded that now is the best time to have them done; and the subscribers are now prepared to execute all orders for

REPAIR OR ALTERATIONS OF

FURS,

OR FOR NEW WORK, IN THE BEST MANNER AND AT SHORT NOTICE.

BARNUM & WIGHT,

Mercantile Building...Summer St. Boston.

FORMERLY WALKO & BARNUM.

oct 13—3t

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,

No. 28 Bromfield Street, . . Boston,

OFFER AT WHOLESALE & RETAIL,

A large assortment of

WINDOW SHADES,
LACE CURTAINS and
UPHOLSTERY GOODS,

New Goods constantly received.

Drapery Curtains put up in the best manner, at reasonable prices.

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,

oct6—4t 28 BROMFIELD STREET.

HORACE COLLAMORE

DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,
Woburn Centre.

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions.

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

sept22—3m

DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist.



Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

Woburn Centre. Mass.

Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

NITROUS OXYD GAS, or SULPHURIC ETHER, Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain*. Charges moderate.

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



After suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.



20 Years

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.

july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. Hetrusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

Woburn, Mass., Sept. 8th, 1866. 1y

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, JULY 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$300,000.00
Surplus, after deducting all claims,	203,472.58
	$503,472.58
Less Portland claims,	80,000.00
	$423,472.58

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.

aug 25—1y

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,

260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.

sept29—3m

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Brice 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.

sept29—3m

HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10, aug 11 BOSTON.

Special Notice.

THE attention of the people of Woburn and vicinity is called to the

HOWE SEWING MACHINES,

FOR FAMILY SEWING.

They are superior to any in the market; are simple, durable, and very easily understood and kept in order.

The Manufacturing Machines are taking the place of all other machines for Boot and Shoe Fitting, doing the work superior to all others. Also, TAILORING WORK.

CALL AND SEE THEM!

FOR SALE BY

Charles Pierce,

OVER HAYWARD'S STORE, MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—3m

REOPENED.

MANSFIELD'S

BOOT & SHOE EMPORIUM

Having been closed for repairs, is now open with a prime assortment of Goods suitable for the coming season, and at prices that will defy all competition.

Ladies' Double Sole Cloth Boots.	$2.50
" " " Calf "	3.00
" Rubbers	1.00
Miss and Children's Boots for School, stout and cheap.	
Men's Cl. Double Sole Boots	5.00
Boys' " " "	3.50
Youths' " " "	3.00
Women's Rubbers	1.25

And everything else equally low, Will be happy to show Goods.

MANSFIELDS'

14 TREMONT ROW, Boston.

oct13—4t

CARPETS. CARPETS.

AT LOW PRICES!

Quick Sales can be made if the prices are low.

We have concluded to sell our large stock at some price or other THIS MONTH.

BRUSSELS,	COMMON ALL WOOL,
VELVETS,	OIL CLOTHS,
THREE-PLYS,	MATTINGS,
KIDDERMINSTER,	BOCKINGS, &C.

A lot of ALL WOOL CARPETS at $1.12 1-2.

F. B. WENTWORTH & CO.,

66 HANOVER STREET,

Under the American House.

oct 13—1m

New Millinery Rooms.

MISSES C. M. ADAMS & L. HARDY,

(Late with J. W. Coverly & Co.,)

Would respectfully inform their friends and customers that they have taken rooms at

120 Tremont St., Boston,

Where they would be happy to serve those who may favor them with their patronage. All orders promptly and faithfully executed.

Rooms No. 10 and 11. oct 13—1m

Flour,

FEED.

MEAL

AND

GRAIN.

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford.

By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

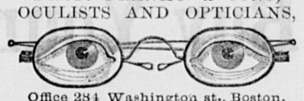
Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

URBANE DERBY.

PROF. FRANKS & SONS,

OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



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Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any pedlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

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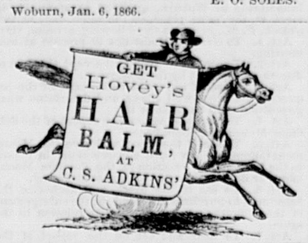
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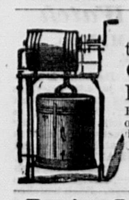
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FIGHTING WITH LIGHT.—Professor Henry Morton, in a recent report to the Philadelphia Franklin Institute, gave the following description of the use of the calcium light during the siege of Fort Wayne, on James Island, opposite Charleston:

The front of Fort Wayne, toward which the advances of the United States forces were made, was about seven hundred yards in length, while the approaching saps were confined to a narrow strip of solid land about fifty yards across, the rest of the fort being covered by a swamp on one side and the ocean on the other. For this reason, when the head of the sap had been pushed to within two hundred and fifty yards of the fort, further advance was rendered impossible because the zig-zags would be enfiladed from one side or another by the guns at the extremities of the fort.

It was under these conditions, no advance having been made for several days, and the loss in the trenches being very heavy, that the calcium lights were first tried. Two of these, with jets one-eighteenth of an inch in diameter, burning about fourteen cubic feet of gas per hour, were set up at the extreme left of the second parallel, about seven hundred and fifty yards distant from the fort. These jets were supplied from large reservoirs fifteen inches by eight feet, each capable of holding two hundred and fifty cubic feet. Both the gases were made on the island in a laboratory established for the purpose, where a detail of twenty soldiers and twelve negroes was constantly employed in the manufacture and compression of the gases for use in various ways connected with the military operations at this point, such as the prevention of blockade-running at night, of sending supplies and troops to Fort Sumpter, &c.

The two lights above mentioned were so arranged with parabolic mirrors as to throw sectors of light over one-half of the fort, and the other over the remainder, the field of light being sharply cut by the diaphragm, so as not to reach below the edge of the parapet. The effect of this was to make every motion and each figure on the rebel works perfectly clear to those in the trenches, while the space below, from the ditch of the fort to the saps and parallels, was hid in impenetrable darkness. The Union riflemen and sharpshooters, in fact, were able to leave the protection of their works with impunity, while on the contrary, all the gunners in the fort were exposed to a deadly fire. The consequence was that within twenty minutes after starting the lights, the fort, from which a constant fusilade had been kept up ever since the darkness set in, was *absolutely silenced*, and remained so during the night. Advantage was of course taken of this condition to push forward the sap, and by the end of the second night such progress had been made that the eastern angle of the fort was entered, and the work, becoming no longer tenable, was abandoned by its garrison. Of course every available gun was brought to bear upon the lights from the neigboring batteries, but these dazzling points seem to have been very hard objects to aim at, for though some of the reservoirs were hit by fragments of shell, and still bear the dents so inflicted, the apparatus was never seriously damaged.

English papers give some statistics in regard to the business of blockade running during our late rebellion which are very interesting. Nassau, a port of the Bahama Islands, was the principal place from which this trade was carried on, and the imports at that port increased from £234,029 in 1860 to £5,346,112, in 1864, and the exports from £157,350 to £4,673,938. The principal article of trade was cotton, of course, which figures for about £4,000,000 in both the exports and the imports. The whole number of blockade runners that entered Nassau during the war was 164, 102 of which made successful voyages. One of the successful ones made eighteen voyages, but seventy-four of them made only two voyages each. Toward the end of the war the captains of the blockade runners received £1,000 for each voyage, with the right to carry ten bales of cotton on their own account.

A WONDERFUL RAILROAD INVENTION.—The London Herald says: It is a curious fact that for the last four years an invention which may prove one of the most useful as well as the most wonderful of this wonder-working age has been on view within an hour's drive of Paris. The general public are at this moment unaware that at La Jouchère, close to the pretty village of Bouginal, they have an opportunity of witnessing every Sunday the extraordinary sight of a rail-way train ascending a steep gradient without the aid of steam and the carriages of which are destitute of wheels.

This invention is due to a French engineer, M. L. D. Girard. It is found on a new application of an old principal, viz: That a layer of water introduced between two metal surfaces, enables them to glide on each other with as little friction as a slab of ice on the polished surface of a frozen lake. M. Girard has conceived the idea of applying this principle to locomotion, and the experiment he has been carrying on for the last four years, successfully demonstrates that it is applicable to the propelling of railway trains. In his system wheels are dispensed with, and there can be no doubt that were his invention applied to ordinary railways, an engine which is now able to draw a train weighing, say five hundred tons, at the rate of twenty miles an hour, would, with the same expenditure of fuel, be able to draw double the weight at double the speed. M. Girard, however, proposes to discard steam as a motive power. This is the weak part of his invention—the value of which consists in the substitution of sledge carriages for wheels. These carriages are fitted upon slides of a peculiar construction; by simply turning a cock, a stream of water is introduced between the slide and the rail, and a gentle motive power being applied, the carriage being mounted on the slide, shoots forward with a speed which really has no limit beyond the consideration of safety.

THE CEMETERIES OF PARIS.—A correspondent of the Buffalo *Commercial Advertiser*, writing from Paris, describes the cemeteries of that great city.

There are only three cemeteries in Paris, the largest and most celebrated of which is the Pere La Chaise, so called from having been owned by the Jesuit confessor of Louis XIV., La Chaise, who possessed a country residence on its site. The grounds are about 200 acres in extent, and though used as a cemetery only sixty years, the place is now as crowded as any part of old Paris. The visitor realizes at once the appropriateness of calling it "a city of the dead," for it is laid out with paved streets and little sidewalks, very much like the great live city whose dead it shelters. Over the greater portion of the tombs are built little chaplets of marble, with doors of open ironwork or stained glass, and fitted inside with altar, crucifix and candles, and one or two chairs, according to the size of the chapel. There are, besides, a great many magnificent monuments; but nearly all the graves, except those with only a simple and unpretending head-stone, have the peculiarity I have mentioned. From an eminence at the back of the cemetery we obtained the finest view of Paris, but in the foreground were the crowded streets of the dead city, suggesting the reflections which were, I hope appropriate to the spot. There are over twenty thousand monuments in the grounds. If I were to undertake to mention the names of eminent personages whose remains repose here, I should have no room left in this letter for anything else. We have had only time to visit a few of the most remarkable monuments, and I have not room even to speak of all these. The most interesting spot in the place is the tomb of Abelard and Heloise, which is a gothic chapel of considerable size, in the style of the thirteenth century, formed out of the ruins of the Abbey of Paraclete, of which Abelard was the founder, and Heloise the first abbess. The chapel contains the sarcophagus which was constructed by the order of Abelard shortly before his death. It represents that ill-fated pair lying side by side. It is a practice with lovers to visit this grave and decorate it with fresh flowers and wreathes, and it was thickly covered with these offerings when we saw it. Nearly all the tombs indeed were decorated with flowers and wreaths of yellow immorteiles. We walked through the quarter set apart as a burial place for the Jews, and stopped at the tomb of the actress Rachel, which like so many of the others, was a chapel, though of rather larger size than the average. The walls were entirely covered with names of visitors scratched on a stone, a very unpleasant sight, yet, I dare say, a compliment was intended by every one who took the trouble to inscribe his name.

Last week, at Chicago, a man and his wife died of cholera without any attendant except a child seven years old. Several hours after their decease they were discovered by the police. Sitting on the floor in one corner was the little boy who had passed the night in solitude and sorrow, frightened by the solemnity of the scene, but unconscious of his great loss.

DEAR READER. — Would you have your food set well upon your stomach, your digestion regular, and no trouble from sick headache, sour stomach, constipation; in short would you be cured of Dyspepsia? then use Coe's Dyspepsia cure. It is a certain remedy in all such cases.

SAWDUST AS BEDDING.—Some of our friends are in the habit of using sawdust as bedding. It will do for that, and as an absorbent of liquid manures it may be useful, but it is poor stuff on land. It contains an infinitesimal quantity of nitrogen, in itself, and of mineral matter, though some have thought that it would have good effects as manure on account of the solvent action of its carbonic acid on the mineral constituents of the soil. Mr. Lawes tried sawdust on his grass plots at Rothamsted at the rate of 2,000 pounds annually, but it yielded an average annual produce of 3 1-2 hundred pounds *less* hay than the *unmanured* land alongside. Where 2,000 pounds of sawdust were applied with ammoniacal salts, there were only 6 pounds an acre per annum more grass than where the same sort and quantity of ammonical salts were applied alone. Where the sawdust was used in a mixture with both ammoniacal salts and mineral manure the yield per annum was about 3-4 of a hundred weight less than where the same salts and mineral manure were used without the sawdust. The ton of sawdust per acre, and per annum, was practically of no avail as a manure.

As a mere absorbent of liquids it is worth something, as it enables us to save them when they might otherwise be lost, but sand is so vastly better, that if you can get that we consider it far preferable, especially if your land, or the soil on which you wish to apply the manure is inclined to be stiff and heavy. We like sand, and don't like sawdust if we can get anything better.

THE POET PERCIVAL.

[*Extracts from The Life and Letters of James Gates Percival, by Julius H. Ward, just published by Ticknor & Fields.*]

At pages 473-4, his poverty and way of life thus set forth: "He used to go to the stores in the evening to buy crackers, herrings, dried beef, fruit, and other food which could be easily prepared; and as his health was often miserable, it was no unusual thing for him to go whole days without food. In this way his personal expenses were reduced to a minimum; and, as he had his rooms for a nominal sum, he could live almost upon nothing. This explains why he could subsist so many years with no other visible means of support than the chance jobs of scientific or literary work which came to him."

At this time, his mode of living is thus described: "He had three rooms. His library and minerals were in one, his study in another. His bed was simply a cot, with mattress above. There were no sheets, and a block of wood placed under the mattress served for a pillow. There were two woolen blankets on the bed, very dirty. Places at the feet showed that he had laid (lain) down with his shoes on, and it was evident that he had slept in his clothes. The rooms were very untidy, and probably never swept. There were perhaps two inches of rolling lint upon the floor. There was a beaten path from his bed to the stove, to his writing-table, to his library, and to his door."

His opinion at twenty-seven of Cooper is thus given: "I am glad they have rubbed up Cooper. Perhaps you don't feel about it as I do. I can consider him nothing more than a literary *parasitic animal*. What a thing that Pioneers is, with its most exalted character making *Virginia fence* on his way home from *bush tavern*, after attending divine service on Christmas eve, gloriously in the spirit, or rather the spirit in him. It might do well enough to amuse the select society of a barber's shop, or a porter house. But to have the author step forward on such stilts, and claim to be the lion of our literature, and fall to roaring himself, and set all his jackals howling, to put better folks out of countenance,—why, it is pitiful, 'tis wonderous pitiful, at least for the country that not only suffers it, but encourages it."

His opinion at thirty-three of Willis is thus expressed: "You have a new star in your horizon, N. P. Willis, Esq., and I presume you wise men of the East have gone to worship him. I think him very clever in his way, but he is wholly an artificial thing—Wordsworth and Mrs. Hemans lackadaisified, just as I observed that L. E. L. was a dilution of Tom Moore; and yet he writes smoothly and prettily, sometimes even beautifully; and yet, at times, oh how weak!"

Percival was introduced to G. P. R. James at a railroad station. "Mr. James had all the airs of a man of society; and Percival was specially shrinking and modest in the presence of a stranger, making his worst impression at first. The parties were introduced and they did not get on at all. Percival showed a decided repugnance, Mr. James a genteel contempt. Soon entering the cars, they took different seats, and Mr. James said, 'My friend, who is that Mr. Percival?' It was replied that he was a distinguished poet, when Mr. James said, 'A little cracked, isn't he?' The gentleman with him met Mr. Percival a few days after, who inquired, 'Who is that Mr. James?' 'G. P. R. James, the novelist,' was the reply. Said Percival, 'A little drunk, wasn't he?' "

When Percival was living in New Haven, "a stranger, a showy gentleman, with extra airs, had been escorting some ladies, on a summer day, through the hospital grounds, and then called on the janitor, remarking that he understood the poet Percival was occupying some rooms in the upper story of the building, and that he would be extremely gratified to be shown the way up. The janitor went with the stranger to the foot of the second flight of stairs, pointed to the door, and awaited the reception. The gentleman's signal knock was answered by the footsteps of the doctor, who unloosened the fastenings, and on opening the door beheld the stranger and a lady on each arm. 'I am extremely happy and rejoiced,' said the eloquent intruder, 'that I have the honor of addressing the poet Percival.' '*Boo!*' responded the doctor, instantly shutting the door, readjusting the fastening, and retiring to his room."

While he was on his geological survey of Connecticut, Professor Shepard says, "In New Milford an inquisitive farmer requested us to give an account of ourselves. Percival replied that we were acting under a commission from the governor to ascertain the useful minerals of the state; whereupon our utilitarian friend immediately demanded to be informed how the citizens at large, including himself, were to be benefited by the undertaking. Percival became impatient and tried to hurry away. 'I demand the information,' exclaimed the New Milfordite, 'as my right. You are only servants of the people; and you are paid, in part at least, out of my pocket.' 'I'll tell you what we'll do,' said Percival, 'we can't stop, but we'll refund your portion of the geological tax—let me see—it must be two cents. We prefer handing you this, to encountering a further delay.' "

COMING AUTUMN.—Alas for the summer! The grass is still verdant on the hills and in the valleys; the foliage of the trees is as dense as ever, and as green; the flowers are abundant along the margin of the river, and in the hedge-rows, and deep among the woods; the days, too, are as fervid as they were a month ago; and yet in every breath of wind and in every beam of sunshine, there is an autumnal influence. I know not how to describe it. Methinks there is a sort of coolness amid all the heat, and a mildness in the brightness of the sunshine. A breeze cannot stir without thrilling me with the breath of autumn, and I behold its pensive glory in the far, golden gleam among the long shadows of the trees. The flowers, even the brightest of them, —the golden-rod and the gorgeous cardinals,—the most glorious flowers of the year,—have this gentle sadness amid their pomp. Pensive autumn is expressed in the glow of every one of them. I have felt this influence earlier in some years than in others. Sometimes autumn may be perceived even in the early days of July. There is no other feeling like that caused by this faint, doubtful, yet real perception, or rather prophecy, of the year's decay, so deliciously sweet and sad at the same time.—*Hawthorne.*

TWO LITTLE PAIRS OF BOOTS.

BY MRS. S. S. PERRY.

Two little pairs of boots to-night
Before the fire are drying,
Two little pairs of tired feet
In a trundle-bed are lying;
The tracks they left upon the floor
Make me feel much like sighing.

Those little boots with copper toes!
They ran the livelong day!
And oftentimes I almost wish
That they were miles away!
So tired I am to hear so oft
Their heavy tramp at play.

They walk about the new-ploughed ground,
Where mud in plenty lies,
They roll it up in marbles round,
Then bake it into pies;
And then at night upon the floor
In every shape it dries.

To-day I was disposed to scold:
But when I look to-night,
At those little boots before the fire,
With copper toes so bright,
I think how sad my heart would be
To put them out of sight.

For in a trunk up stairs I've laid
Two socks of white and blue;
If called to put those boots away,
O, God what should I do?
I mourn that there are not to-night
Three pairs instead of two.

I mourn because I thought how nice
My neighbor, "cross the way,"
Could keep her carpets, all the year,
From getting worn or grey;
Yet well I know she'd smile to own
Some little boots to-day!

We mothers weary get and worn,
Over our load of care;
But how we speak of little ones
Let each of us beware,
For what would our firesides be to-night,
If no little boots were there?

A cunning exhibitor at a recent agricultural fair in Connecticut divided a bushel of peaches and entered half in his own name for competition, and the other in the name of an influential man in a neighboring town. The big man got the prize, and the other contribution, although off the same tree, was not mentioned.

SUFFERING IN QUEBEC.—Fully 20,000 persons are said to be homeless in the streets of Quebec, and owing to the general stagnation of all kinds of business and the near approach of winter, the condition now of many almost borders on despair. The situation in which these unfortunate people find themselves is described as even more trying than that experienced by the sufferers from the great fire in 1845. The Toronto *Leader* says:

Summer is always the harvest time of the Quebec workmen. Laborers who may get $3 a day at that season are glad to work for one-twelfth that sum in winter. A shipping port to which thousands of vessels come in summer, and which is closed by ice in winter, Quebec is at one time all bustle, and at another time all stagnation. From a scene of great activity the city passes into the silence of the tomb. Even if there were a prospect of the ordinary employment; if there were an average activity in the shipyards, winter might be looked to without the apprehension which cannot but now be felt.

The recent calamity is aggravated by the failure of the Quebec Insurance Co., (according to a Montreal telegram), on account of losses amounting to $2000,000.

The free public baths of Boston, now closed for the season, have been visited for the season of four months, as follows: By men, 100,913; boys, 280,941; women, 14,350; girls, 37,786; total, 433,990.

The Newburyport *Herald* says there is more building of factories, stores and dwellings in that city now than at any previous time for forty years.

The Middlesex Journal,
—AND—
WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

WOBURN:

SATURDAY, Nov. 3, 1866.

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BOSTON AS THE RIVAL OF NEW YORK.—When we speak of Boston as competing with New York, we are aware of the great inequality of the two places, and the one must always be vastly larger than the other. But there may be rivalry nevertheless, — there has been and always will be. New Yorkers may talk now as they did forty years ago, and say that Boston is nothing but a country village in comparison with their Manhattan city, but the fact stares them in the face, that Boston in the last thirty years has grown amazingly.

"Within that time, spread out to wider bound,—
And peopling cities, villages, around
Rearing her structures of colossal size,
Whose towering heights like Babel threat the skies.
Uplifted on her more capacious throne,
And peopled from the realms of every zone;
Boston has risen with increasing fame
And well sustains her ancient honored name."

The population of Boston to-day, including Chelsea, Charlestown, Cambridge, Roxbury, and other neighboring towns, largely peopled by business men of Boston, is between three and four hundred thousand, and every year is swelling the number in the progressive ratio of increase. The capital on which to do business and make advance, has accumulated in the same proportion. The war brought much money to Massachusetts and New England generally, and Boston capatalists owning extensively in the workshops and manufactories of the interior towns and cities, have filled their coffers with wealth. Boston is the natural outlet and market for New England manufactures. And there is no lack of enterprise among Bostonians to widen their sphere of business operations, and draw from all parts of our own vast country, and from every section of the world, remunerative trade. Believing that lines of steamers to Europe will benefit the city, the merchants and capitalists are now pressing forward measures to put such lines in operation. Being one day nearer to the chief ports of Europe than New York, Boston has a great advantage over her proud rival.

Looking at the hindrances connected with a city of overgrown proportions, like New York, such as crowded wharves and streets, and an unsatisfied demand for stores and houses, we perceive that from sheer necessity some check must be sustained, which will favor the trade of a rival city, still offering every facility of harbor, and wharves, and stores and houses, like Boston. Vessels have now to wait a week frequently in New York to obtain a berth at one of the wharves, and such detention will in time compel men to resort to Boston and other less crowded places.

The harbor of Boston so unobstructed, capacious and safe, interposes no obstacles to an enlarged commerce, but rather invites by its special facilities and accommodations, the merchant, shipowner and master to enter it. The railroads so complete and extensive cannot be surpassed in the whole country.

If we look at the opportunities for the sale of merchandise of every description in large quantities and at quick time, Boston presents these advantages. The India trade ought never to have been removed from Boston to New York. Half a day's distance from one city to another, with cars and steamers passing at all times, Boston, with valuable cargoes offered at auction, would attract promptly as many and wealthy purchasers as New York.

Ships can be fitted out cheaper at Boston, and with all possible expedition.

It has sometimes been said, that New York merchants and bankers were more liberal than those of Boston, but we believe, that there is to-day a nearer approximation of the one city to the other in enlarged ideas and generous action, than heretofore existed, and that Boston people with their great increase of trade, have also advanced in a large-minded view of business operations.

Thus looking at the subject, we predict for Boston a larger relative increase in the future, than for New York, and especially if Bostonians will arise and put forth their strength.

GEORGE PEABODY'S VIEWS UPON NATIONAL MATTERS.—At the dedication of the Peabody Institute, in Baltimore, on Thursday, Mr. George Peabody made the following explanation of his own opinions:

And here I may well refer to a subject which, though of a personal nature, has its bearings on what I have said. I have been told several times that I have been accused of want of devotion to the Union; and I take this occasion to place myself right, for I have not a word of apology, not a word of retraction to utter. Fellow citizens: The Union of the States of America was one of the earliest objects of my childhood's reverence; for the independence of my country my father bore arms in some of the darkest days of the Revolution; and from him and his example I learned to love and honor that Union.

Later in life I learned more fully its inestimable worth, perhaps more fully than most have done; for, born and educated at the North, then living for nearly twenty years at the South, and thus learning in the best school the character and life of her people, finally in the course of a long residence abroad being thrown in intimate contact with individuals of every section of our glorious land, I come, as do most Americans who live long in foreign lands, to love our country as a whole, to know and take pride in all her sons as equally countrymen, to know no North, no South, no East, no West;—and so I wish publicly to avow, that during the terrible contest through which our Nation has passed my sympathies are still and always were with the Union, that my uniform course tended to assist but never to injure, and to the credit of the Government of the Union, and at the close of the war three-fourths of all the property I possessed had been invested in U. S. Government and State securities, and remain so at this time. But none the less could I fail to feel charity for the South, to remember that political opinion is far more a matter of birth and education than of calm and unbiassed reason. Even you and I, my friends, had we been born at the South—born to the feelings, beliefs, and perhaps prejudices of the Southern men—might have taken the same course which was adopted by the South, and have cast in our lot with those who have fought, as all must admit, so bravely for what they believed to be their rights.

Never, therefore, during the war or since, have I permitted the contest, or any passions engendered by it, to interfere with the social relations and warm friendships which I had formed for a very large number of the people of the South. I blame, and shall always blame the instigators of the strife and sowers of dissension, both at the North and at the South. I believed, and do still believe, that bloodshed might have been avoided by mutual conciliation. But after the great struggle had actually commenced I could see no hope for the glorious future of America save in the success of the armies of the Union; and in reviewing my whole course, there is nothing which I could change if I would, nor which I would change if I could.

And now, after the lapse of these eventful years, I am more deeply, more earnestly, more painfully convinced than ever of our need of mutual forbearance and conciliation, of Christian charity and forgiveness, of united effort to bind up the fresh and broken wounds of our nation. To you, therefore, citizens of Baltimore and Maryland, I make my appeal, probably the last I shall ever have to make to you. May not this Institute be a common ground where all may meet, burying former differences and animosities, forgetting past separations and estragements, weaving the bands of new attachments to the city, to the State, and to the Nation.

May not Baltimore, her name already honored in history as the birthplace of religious toleration in America, now crown her past fame by becoming the day star of political tolerance and charity; and will not Maryland, in place of a battleground for opposing parties, become the field where milder councils and calm deliberations may prevail, where good men of all sections may meet to devise and execute the wisest plans for repairing the ravages of war, & for making the future of our country alike common, prosperous and glorious, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and from our Northern to our Southern boundary?

AUCTION SALE.—William Winn, Esq., will offer at auction, on Monday, 12th inst., one of the largest lots of wood and timber ever sold at public vendue in this section. The wood is of a very large growth, and consists of oak, maple, pitch and white pine. This sale offers a rare opportunity to persons desirous of purchasing Timber suitable for sawing and other purposes. It is undoubtedly the largest and best growth of wood and timber now standing in this section of the State. Those who desire great bargains should attend the sale. See advertisement.

SURPRISE.—A few weeks since the Baptist Choir were agreeably surprised by their Leader. Last Saturday evening the choir having somewhat *recovered* from said surprise, A. A. Newhall, in behalf of the choir, aided by *Thomas' Chant*, effected a surprise, by presenting their Leader and Organist with a choice collection of valuable books, which were very gratefully received.

People from the rural districts report an unusual phenomenon. The forests seem to have fallen permaturely into the sere and yellow, and the trees are as bare and leafless as they usually are a month from this time. There has been no frost of any consequence, and the untimely fall of the leaf puzzles even those most profoundly versed in the science of woodcraft.

WINCHESTER.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. Dr. Carruthers, of Portland, preached in the Congregational church last Sabbath afternoon, the Pastor officiating in the morning. The church of which Dr. C. is pastor suffered severely in the terrible conflagration which swept through that city on the fourth of July last. They lost their church edifice, one of the largest and most commodious in the city,—the same in which Dr. Payson preached for so many years. Sixty-eight families belonging to this congregation were rendered homeless, and reduced, in many instances, to poverty by the fire. The house of Dr. Carruthers, with its contents, including his library, sermons, &c., was burned, and he himself, being very sick at the time, was twice removed, the house to which he was first carried being afterwards burned. The church, feeling unable to rebuild, appeal for help to some of the more wealthy sister churches. The Pastor, in commending the object to his people, stated that he was authorized by a member of the congregation to say, that if the church and society could raise five hundred dollars, he would give three hundred of the amount. A collection was taken on the spot, with a view to meet the proposition and secure this generous donation

Rev. Mr. Brigham, Captain of the Morning Star, the children's missionary ship, which is about to sail for the Sandwich Islands, is expected to occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church, tomorrow morning. In the afternoon, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in connection with a sermon by the Pastor; and in the evening, there will be a missionary concert, for children and adults, at which Rev. Mr. Brigham will speak. The father and mother of Mr. B., who were among the first missionaries that went out to the Sandwich Islands, will be present, with two of his sisters, one of whom goes out with him as a missionary to Micronesia. This will probably be the last Sabbath this family will be permitted to spend together, as the ship is expected to sail in a few days.

At the Unitarian church the communion service will be observed in the morning, and the rite of baptism administered.

The choice of seats in Lyceum Hall will be put up at auction, on Wednesday evening next, at 7 1-2 o'clock. The worshippers at this church are requested to be present that they may make their selection of seats. Should the evening be stormy, the sale will be postponed.

EXCELSIOR.

WOBURN LOCALS.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Rev. Dr. Bodwell has sold his house on Canal street, to Mr. Osgood, of the firm of Parker, White & Osgood, of Boston, for $10,000.

APPOINTMENT.—Mr. John L. Parker has recently been appointed by the Governor and Council, one of the Justices of the Peace for Middlesex County.

ELECTIONS.—At a regular meeting of "Good Samaritan Lodge" No. 60, I. O. of G. T., held on Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected:—W. C. T.—Chas. A. McDonald; W. V. T.—Miss Jennie Skinner; W. R. S.—Geo. H. Woodside; W. F. S.—Frank Flint; W. T.—John Stackpole; W. C.—H. P. Andrews; W. M.—James W. Vye; W. I. G.—Miss Hattie Blaisdell; W. O. G.—H. L. Andrews.

CAUCUS.—The friends of the "eight hour law, and of equalization of bounties," met in the Town Hall, last Saturday evening, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative for this district. Mr. Geo. Miller was chosen chairman, and P. H. Claffy, secretary. Speeches were made by several gentlemen present, and a platform endorsing the eight hour movement, the equalization of bounties, and in favor of a *license law*, were adopted. The ballot for candidate for representative resulted as follows:—

Ambrose Bancroft,	36
Alvah Cotton,	6
John P. Crane,	6
W. A. Haslam,	2
G. H. Miller,	2

Maj. Bancroft was informed of his nomination, and in a neat speech accepted the same. Friends of temperance who are in favor of the former two planks in the platform adopted, can but regret that the passage of a license law is made the third.

CONVENTION.—The 5th Middlesex Senatorial District Convention of the National Union and Democratic parties, met in the Town Hall, Friday afternoon, of last week. The convention was organized in the choice of A. E. Thompson, of Woburn, as President, and C. D. Brown, of Reading, Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Augustus Roundy, the Convention proceeded to a formal ballot for a candidate for a Senator, and a committee appointed to receive and count the ballots reported that the whole number of votes cast was seventeen, all of which were for Stephen Nichols of North Woburn.

Mr. Nichols being present, responded to the announcement of the vote by accepting the nomination, and promising, if elected, to advocate the passage of an eight-hour law for the benefit of the workingmen.

The following gentlemen were chosen members of the State Central Committee for this Senatorial District, in accordance with a vote passed at the late State Convention, held in Faneuil Hall last month; Caleb D. Brown of Reading and A. E. Thompson of Woburn.

The following gentlemen were appointed a District Committee: Sherman Converse of Woburn, J. B. Weston of Reading, J. T. Sanborne of Winchester, J. H. Dike of Stoneham and S. O. Dearborn of Melrose.

The Convention was then dissolved.

PLAY OUT.—The new steam fire engine was taken to East Woburn, last Monday afternoon, and exhibited.

THE ELECTION.—The annual State election, which will take place on Tuesday next, is exciting little attention as a general thing, though the local interests which often give zest to the contest for seats in the State Legislature, will doubtless call out a large vote in some places. As yet there is but one candidate in the field for the honors at the disposal of the voters of the 22d Middlesex district, but probably another will appear at the Republican caucus this (Saturday) evening, and perhaps a third, though it is intimated that the National Union-Democratic party will accept the nomination of Maj. Bancroft, as he has lately acted with them. If for no other reason, the pledge to favor the pulling down of the advances made in the temperance cause, and reinstating the old license law, should call for the urgent efforts of all lovers of good order. There is not an earnest lover of temperance in the State who favors the passage of a license law, while there is not a rum seller, great or small, who is not clamorous for such an enactment, to make the nefarious traffic legal.

REMOVAL.—The old Methodist chapel has been moved from its site on Main st., to the top of "Powder House" hill, where it will be finished off as a dwelling house for two tenants.

—The month of October just closed will long be remembered as one of the most pleasant months of the year 1866. Much of the time the weather was warm as summer, the air fresh and balmy, and in the evenings the sky was generally so clear of clouds that the beautiful "harvest moon" shone unobscured, and added its splendors to disperse any saddening thoughts suggested by the "sere and yellow leaf" of autumn, that rustled in the breeze, or fell to add life by its decay to those which shall fill its place when spring shall again warm into life and freshness the dormant energies of nature.

EXPRESS.—The proprietors of Hart & Co.'s Woburn Express have purchased the rail road express route to Stoneham, and commenced running it on the first of this month. This will give the people of the two towns increased facilities of communication.

POLICE COURT.—Last Monday a boy named William Sheehan was brought before Trial Justice Converse, on charge of being an habitual truant, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment in the basement of the Poor House.

Edward Cutler, of this town, was before the court on Tuesday, charged with adultery, on two complaints, and was held in the sum of $2,400 to answer at the higher court. The victims in this case were two young girls, aged respectively eleven and thirteen years, who were enticed by Cutler into his boarding house on the evening of Monday last. The evidence brought out at this examination would seem to indicate that things of this kind have been going on beween the parties for some months. Cutler is a married man, but of late he has not been living with his wife.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. T. N. Haskin, of East Boston, will preach at the First Congregational church next Sunday, forenoon and afternoon.

LECTURE.—The lecture in the Unitarian vestry, on Tuesday evening, before the Woburn Natural History Association, was intensely interesting. There was a very good attendance.

—We would suggest that an effort be made, either by some of our local organizations, or individuals, to secure a course of lectures during the coming winter. There seems to be a demand for something of the kind being done.

CHANGES.—The Horn Pond depot, on the Woburn Branch, has been removed to the east side of the track, to make room for a new side track which is being built to run to the Woburn Iron Foundry.

The National Union and Democratic voters of Woburn, will meet at the Lower Lyceum Hall, on Monday evening next, at half-past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent this town in the next General Court, &c. See notice.

William H. Temple, Esq., will sell at auction, in Wilmington, on Wednesday and Thursday next, a very large amount of wood and timber, farming stock, real estate, &c. A most important sale. See notice in advertising columns.

INSTALLATION.—The installation of the officers of the new lodge of Good Templars, in Wilmington, took place on Friday evening, at the Town Hall. A large delegation from this town were present to participate in the exercises.

PERSONAL.—Former members of the 11th Mass. Regt. in this town will be pleased to learn that Col. J. F. Mansfield, of South Reading, (formerly Maj. of the 11th) has received the nomination for representative from the district of which South Reading makes a part, and will, without doubt, be elected, to the next Legislature.

STORM.—The rain storm which visited this section on Tuesday, was very severe, being accompanied with a gale of wind. Along our seaboard, much damage was done, and the daily papers have been filled with accounts of vessels blown ashore, houses unroofed, etc., but we hear of no particular damage sustained in this neighborhood. LUKE R. BOUT.

Panorama of New York City.—This panorama, which will be exhibited to our citizens this (Saturday) evening, is one of the most perfect and wonderful productions of the painter's art in the world, and is well worthy the public patronage. Go to Lyceum Hall and see it. Look at the advertisement.

MADAME CLICQUOT, widow of the world-renowned grower of that favorite wine, has departed this life, rich in honors as in purse, at the ripe old age of ninety-one. Madame Clicquot might, after her husband's death, have adopted the well-known mortuary announcement which, after summing up the various virtues of one who was stated to have been a model of husbands and of grocers, wound up with the intimation that "the business is continued by his disconsolate widow," for that lady, when she had dried her tears, took in hand the vast affairs left by her husband, and has fully kept up the fame of his vineyards and vats until the present time. So partial was the late King of Prussia to the sparkling beverage over whose manufacture Madame Clicquot has presided with so much skill and success, that it is at the door of her wine-cellars that the responsibility of his habitual fuddledness must be laid, the royal tippler being so constant in his devotion to the widow's brand that he earned and kept, though the last years of life, the *sobriquet* of "Clicquot."

Clever and keen as was the great wine-grower's widow, she was as generous as befits the mistress of a princely fortune. One day her nephew, who lived with her and aided her in the management of the business, having occasion to visit Paris, left his pocket-book, containing a sum of 40,000 francs, besides various papers of importance, in the railway carriage. On discovering his loss the young man returned in haste to the station, where he was accosted by one of the servants of the company, who asked him if he was seeking for anything.

"Yes, indeed," replied the youth, "I am in search of a pocket-book which I must have left in the carriage I have just quitted, and which contains 40,000 francs."

"Here is your pocket-book," returned the man; "I found it a moment ago in sweeping out one of the carriages." And saying, the honest fellow placed the missing pocket-book, with the bank notes intact in the hands of the delighted youth.

When the latter returned home he lost no time in relating the incident to his aunt.

"And what did you give to the brave *garcon?*" demanded the lady.

"*Ma foi*, my dear aunt," replied the nephew, "I am ashamed to say that I was so possessed with joy at finding my pocket-book that I never thought of the man, but rushed out of the station without remembering to offer him any reward!"

"My dear nephew," said Madame Clicquot, "you will go back to Paris by the next train; you will find out the honest fellow who has behaved so well, and you will give him one-half of the sum he restored to you, with 10,000 francs in addition which I will give you for him, and which you will hand to him as a present from me."

All of which was done as the lady desired; the nephew easily succeeding in tracing out the servant who had given so so signal a proof of his probity, and who, thus unexpectedly enriched by the liberalities of the wealthy widow, left the service of the railway company, bought a grazing farm, and has been literally "living in clover" from that day to this.

Died

In Woburn, Oct. 17th, Ann, wife of Chas H. Scribner, aged 49 years.

In Woburn, Oct. 25th, Mrs. Mary T. Kenney, aged 50 years, 4 months.

In Woburn, Oct. 28th, Hannah McLaughlin, aged 5 days.

In Woburn, Oct. 29th, Mrs. Lydia Seeley, aged 63 years, 11 months.

In Woburn, Nov. 1st, Mary L. Frost, aged 8 wks.

Two of the Fenian prisoners placed on trial at Toronto—Col. Lynch, and a clergyman—have been convicted and sentenced to death. Should they be executed, of which there is not much fear, it would raise a breeze before which the Canadians, even the "Queen's Oown," would be shaken as by a whirlwind.

The apple crop this year in Maine and New Hampshire proves to be very heavy.

The spirit of enterprise exhibited in New Orleans this year exceeds anything before known. All sorts of mechanics are profitably employed. Many stately buildings are going up, and antiquated structures are either torn away or improved.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Woburn Church Response.

As the Rev. J. E. Swallow has called an EX PARTE Council to overhaul our doings in his excommunication, and they have published their Result, we enter this Minute on our records, for the information of any in the ages to come who may wish to know the facts and the right in the case.

In view of this EX PARTE Result we feel surprised and grieved and indignant; and for these reasons, among others: 1. Mr. Swallow has been a sore trial to this church for more than three years, on account of his running the members, and the minister, and the management of the church, in a most slanderous and untruthful way. We were patient for a long time, and many members tried to stop him, and make him more Christian like. Some he ridiculed, and some he browbeat and threatened, till we thought we ought to bear it no longer.

2. We proceeded, in our ordinary way, to discipline him, according to the usage of more than one hundred years in this church. From time immemorial, the deacons, one or more, have begun the labor, and after taking all reasonable steps, have cited the offender before the church, and he has appeared, and the church have disposed of the case on that citation. He dodged the brethren in this labor, from July 13th to August 2d, and now makes the plea that he wanted to be curing marsh hay all the evenings of those twenty days. He was haughty and insolent, and overbearing towards these aged and beloved brethren when they tried to reclaim him, and treated the citation before the church with contempt. He "sent a hand," as he said scornfully. Mr. Swallow knew this to be the usage of this church, and foresaw that he was liable to be excommunicated according to it, but sent no protest to the church before their final action. He knew the custom of the church, and what they were doing with him, and so lost his legal right to plead irregularity, by not making it before the church decided the case.

The Result lays much stress on the fact that a protest against the action of the church, signed by sixty-seven of its members, was not entertained. Did not the Council know that if all those protestors had adopted an ordinance of secession on that second day of August, a membership of four hundred and sixty-seven would have been left?

3. When Mr. Swallow demanded a mutual council, after excommunication, the church appointed three men to call one with him. But he was so intolerant the Committee could do nothing with him. He demanded a great council of forty-eight members, declared that certain churches and men should not be on it, and by trick tried to have everything his own way, in this way. He said he would have three votes to match the three of the Committee, and, as one of the Committee was on his side, these four votes should shape the council as he wished. Then his language and manner to Dea. S. Richardson, Chairman of the Committee, were so abusive and insulting, on another occasion, that two members of the Committee resigned, and the church accepted the resignation, and so the matter came to an end.

Yet this EX PARTE Council says the church refused and rejected it, "without any reasons given." Then he proceeded to call his own men. Two neighboring churches, where he had labored most as a minister, and who knew him best, were not on it, and in the letter to another church, he took the extraordinary and insulting step to reject in advance, as delegate, a clergyman in that church.

4. These selected men seem to have forgotten that they were selected by one man to hear his side of the story, and he an excommunicated man. Such councils should never forget that an EX PARTE spirit calls them, EX PARTE testimony will be laid before them, and an EX PARTE result will be expected. They are called to get the case. Of course this Council condemns us and clears Mr. Swallow. What other business was it selected to do? If an accused man picks his jury, and tells his own story, and keeps out the other, and has no judge on the bench, he ought to get clear, or confess to stupidity.

5. This EX PARTE Council declars that it had a full examination of the facts and evidence. This is wide of the truth. They made much of having had the church records. But church records only indicate general results. Evidences are not presumed to be recorded but only conclusions. Only a tithe of the evidence which convinced us, is recorded, though that evidence would sustain those charges in any criminal court. The bulk of what moved us lies back, unrecorded, in the painful troubles and memories of this church for years past, as connected with this man. Prudently and craftily the Result says, "perhaps" and "substantially" they had all the facts.

It does not show well for their anxiety to get all the facts and evidence, that the Moderator refused to let our senior officer, Deacon S. Richardson give in his statement. This privilege was promised and promised till a late hour in the public proceedings, and when members of the Council urged that he should be allowed to speak, a shrewd tact was shown, in stopping him just when he was beginning to say the most important things.

6. More than this, they mutilated and suppressed the leading evidence recorded. The testimony, by an every way credible witness, to the charge of falsehood, they allow Mr. Swallow to quibble away by an explanation; while the spoken testimony and the affidavits, in the church records, of several of the witnesses, they make little allusion to, and to much of it none at all, in their "Judgment." They were evidently unable to twist or deny it.

The effort made, in open Council, to break down the character of one of the witnesses against Mr. Swallow (a church member beyond reproach in the eyes of all) by the testimony of two spiritualists, not church members, nor church goers, does not appear in the Result. It would not look any better there than it did in the Council. Indeed the whole testimony of the church records is set aside by a monstrous assumption, that it is worthless. In throwing away two sworn affidavits, and the testimony of as honest and reliable people as there are in Woburn, this Council has shown a recklessness to carry a point that is very remarkable.

7. Much is made of the fact, that the church did not follow the 18th of Matthew in the steps.

How we tried, and how we were prevented by the arts of Mr. Swallow curing his marsh hay for twenty consecutive evenings, has been shown. The Council should have given us credit for good intention and endeavor. Moreover, we are informed by the best interpreters, and by the best usage in the churches, that this law in Matthew xviii. is confined to private offences. But Mr. Swallow's were public.

8. They censure us severely for, and indeed found the most of a harsh overbearing result on, our practice, of having our deacons mature cases of disbipline and cite offenders before the church. Of the twenty-six cases of discipline on our records since 1755, in which the process is meationed, nineteen were managed in the same way as Mr. Swallow's. The deacons, or laboring brethren, cited the offenders, and on the citation the church tried the cases. Mr. Swallow was cited by Dr. Cutter, the Clerk and himself a deacon, at the request of the senior deacon, Stephen Richardson. If this is not the best usage, it is so common in other churches, and had been ours so long, more than a century, that the EX PARTE Council should at least have been gentle and kind in reproof. Instead of that, they accuse us of "the most extraordinary and lamentable perversion of some of the plainest principles of Scriptural interpretation and Congregational discipline."

This is very harsh language for doing what has been usage with us. We think it would be better for our church itself to cite its offenders, but the fact that it has been our usage so long to do as we did in this case ought to have shielded us from abusive language. Congregationalism has no iron rule in this thing.

The Moderator, Dr. Dexter, has aspired to be the expounder and leader of Congregationalism. We could wish his services were less conspicuous in defending disorderly persons in the church, heretical and doubtful ministers, and excommunicated men; and that he would conform his teachings and rulings to the usages of our most ancient and leading Congregational churches.

We are told, by those who know, that his theories of Congregationalism are very peculiar, and are not adopted by our order generally. We are glad to know this, as we mean to be a Congregational church in good and regular standing. Nor are we so much surprised that another, spirited and sharp in the Council, and prominent in the Result, Rev. W. H. Willcox, should fail to see that our proceedings were in good usage, and our evidence conclusive. For he was born and bred a Presbyterian, though he professes to be Congregational.

9. It puzzles us that the Council could so blame and rebuke Mr. Swallow on our evidence, and yet treat the evidence as worthless. They accuse him of having been "indiscreet," and of breaking "the Christian law of brotherly kindness and ministerial courtesy." Is this all the meaning they can find in such phrases as these in the recorded evidence? "He made a strenuous effort to intimidate me in regard to any further progress in his case." "He criticised our prayer meetings ridiculously, and made light of the brethren." Of one he said, "he would as soon hear a horse, or some other animal pray." Of his pastor he said, "I despise him, I absolutely hate him." "I asked Mr. Swallow if he ever expected to inherit the kingdom of heaven with Dr. Bodwell," and he replied "I hope not." (See Records pp. 271-2 and many whole pages of the same import.) Is "indiscreet" the word by which our spritual teachers are to characterise such language in a church member, and he a minister?

10. They say there was a "boisterous manner" in the church meeting when he was excommunicated, and "open exultation at his abrupt exision." That there was a boisterous manner in that meeting is most true; for, when the church were proceeding in their usual way, after very lengthened discussion, and with perfect quiet, they were interrupted and exceedingly distressed by vociferous protests and mingled and disorderly outcries on the part of the defenders of Mr. Swallow. But that there was "open exultation" at the result, except on the part of a single individual, we pronounce a base aspersion, and can disprove it by more than fifty witnesses.

11. Ungenerous, unchristian and untrue charges are made against Dr. Bodwell as "being the principally aggrieved party" leading off in the case, being "largely responsible for a spirit overbearing and vindictive" throughout the proceedings. We deny this totally. The church, and not the pastor, was the aggrieved party. They led in the proceedings and matured the case. Dr. Bodwell had nothing whatever to do in bringing the case of Mr. Swallow before the church. It was not done at all under his advice or influence, or even within his knowledge. When informed, as long ago as last spring, that a venerable father had been moved to take the case in hand, and had made the first call on Mr. Swallow and met with a most violent and abusive reception, he said distinctly and emphatically, in a meeting of the deacons, that he had not the very smallest wish to have the case proceeded with, as a matter pertaining to himself; and urged them to consider only what was required by a due regard for the honor of Jesus Christ, and the union and prosperity of the church.

The matter was undertaken in his absence, and with reference to the comfort of his successor rather than to him. When called from New Hampshire to moderate the meeting, he found every thing arranged for action, according to usage. The office of moderator he filled kindly, courteously and ably. The charge that he was, or can be, "overbearing and vindictive" is a wanton and base outrage on fact and the common sentiment of Woburn. His kind, forbearing nature is not capable of it. The Council are as far from the scope of their letter missive, as from fact, in this mean assault.

12. The drift of the Result is directed against our former pastor, and of this we complain vehemently. The acts concerning Mr. Swallow, and too long delayed, were ours, and not our beloved pastor's. Yet the Result lugs him in continually, and passes by and reaches over us, to hit him. Adding, as he did, so well to the number of our [illegible], enlarging the congregation very much, infusing life and hope into us, and enabling us, by his most successful pastorate, to pay off a debt of more than $40,000 in the short time God allowed him to be with us, we feel indignant that this *ex parte* gathering should so go out of their way, and aside from the warrant that marked out their business, and so forget their dignity and calling by slurring, defaming and abusing such a man, when he was not, and could not be before them, according to the letter missive and the laws of Congregationalism, and had no citation to be there. We make our record on our church books for posterity to know that there was no ground whatever for such aspersions. And we are at a loss for the motives of those individuals on the Committee who so shaped the Result. It has been intimated that he is sought to be made the victim of a theological stripe or clique. We say the *individuals* who so shaped the Result, for we do not feel at all like making all the brethren of the Council responsible. The Minutes of their last session do not inform us how many were absent, and how many did not vote. They do not say it was unanimous. They only say that no one voted against it. But if the ancient faith of this church can not be defended and defeated without persecution for it, we think it is time there was another set of Puritans and a new struggle for religious liberty. We had thought he could preach our faith, and leave us for a Professorship to prepare preachers of it, without being subjected to such defamation. We will not yet entertain these thoughts, though at a loss to know why the Result is made so personal against him.

13. The spirit of the result is most unkind. It assumes to impute low and wicked motives to us. These *ex parte* men pretend to judge our hearts; they not only speak of our "violation of the commonest principles of justice," "lamentable perversion" of the Scriptures, "unchristian," "unexampled" and "indecent" doings, "dishonorable advantage," "strain the testimony," "an infraction of the golden rule," "grevious wrong," but they accuse us of having "an ungracious indisposition," "a pitiless unwillingness," "a spirit overbearing and vindictive." We did not expect this from sister churches, especially from men right on our borders, and in sight of our spire; as Rev. Mr. Robinson of Winchester, and Rev. Mr. Willcox of Reading. Strange that these men did not know that they were *ex parte*, were called by an intensely *ex parte* spirit, were getting only an *ex parte* hearing, were expected to give an *ex parte* Result, and were all the time in danger of doing the very thing for which they were called. We confess this community is disappointed, and the great mass of the good in it, of all orders, are grieved at this sample of the Christian ministry. We think we have done substantially right; we know our motives were good; if wrong, we are willing our sister churches should admonish us; but "in the spirit of meekness."

14. Such *ex parte* interference discourages discipline. If a picked Council by one man may so override order and evidence, and encourage the excommunicated to turbulence and faction, the churches will shrink from discipline and the ministry will fall into reproach.

The indecent haste with which the partisans in this case gave notoriety, though the daily political press, to their doings and conclusion, has the same sad effect, to give disorder a loose rein in the churches, and to lower the clergy in the estimation of all good men.

For these, and many other reasons, we enter on our church books these our opinions of the doings of the late *ex parte* Council in the case of Mr. Swallow.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the church records.

E. CUTTER, *Clerk.*

Woburn, Oct. 27, '66. 1t

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nov 3—8m

CO. G, ATTENTION.

Fall in to sign the Pay Roll.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Treasurer has received from the State Treasurer the Pay Roll for Co. G, 5th Regt. M. V. M., and will be ready to pay off the members at the Treasurer's office, on Monday evening, Nov. 5th.

G. R. GAGE, Town Treasurer.

Woburn, Nov. 3d, 1866. 1t

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GLYCERINE LOTION,
PREPARED BY
J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
APOTHECARIES,
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This much esteemed and highly valuable preparation, is recommended as a most effectual preventive for Chapped Hands and Sunburn; also, to use after Shaving, to allay the inflammation, irritation, &c.

As a Cosmetic for softening and beautifying the skin, removing pimples, tan, freckles, sore lips, &c., it is superior to all other preparations now in use.

Glycerine being the principal ingredient of this article, is well known to be one of the best cosmetics for softening the skin, and combined with other articles equally as effectious, the manufacturers feel confident that it will give universal satisfaction.
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CAUCUS!

THE National Union and Democratic Voters of Woburn, are requested to meet at the LOWER LYCEUM HALL, on MONDAY, the fifth day of November, at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative, and for any other business relating to the approaching election.

Per order of Nat. Union and Democratic Town Committee.

Woburn, Nov. 3d, 1866. 1t

Wood and Timber
AT AUCTION, IN BURLINGTON.

ON FRIDAY, Nov. 9th, 1866, at 10 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at auction, in lots, the WOOD and TIMBER standing on 12 acres of land, situated in the Easterly part of BURLINGTON, about ¼ of a mile from the residence of *Mr. Elijah Marion*, and 1 mile from the residence of *D. D. Hart, Esq.*; formerly owned by the late Abel Wyman, of Woburn. Said wood consists of a large growth of White and Yellow OAK

There is on said lot, a large number of Oak trees, suitable for Wheelwrights' use; also, Chestnut trees, suitable for Posts..

This is the largest growth and best quality of Oak Wood for the market now standing in Burlington.

PER ORDER OF THE HEIRS.

WM. WINN, Auctioneer.

Woburn Nov. 3d, 1866. 1t

WOOD AND TIMBER!
At Auction.

THURSDAY, Nov. 8, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at auction, in lots, the Wood and Timber standing on 17 acres of land, situated in North Woburn, bordering on the road from North Woburn to the Chemical Works, about one-quarter of a mile from Nichols' Store, and was formerly owned by the late Capt. Stephen Nichols. Said Wood consists of a good growth of Oak, Maple and Pine, of a good quality for the market. Accessible at all seasons of the year.

BY ORDER OF THE HEIRS.

WM. WINN, Auctioneer.

P. S.—Immediately after the sale of the Wood, the Land will be sold to the highest bidder.

Woburn, Nov. 3d, 1866. 1t

LARGE AND IMPORTANT SALE OF
Real Estate, Farming Stock,
Standing Wood & Timber,
IN WILMINGTON, AT AUCTION,
Belonging to the estate of the late Jonathan Eames.

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY,
NOV. 7 and 8, I shall sell at auction, 25 acres standing Wood and Timber (oak, maple and pine), in lots to suit purchasers; about 50 acres of Woodland, covered with a thrifty growth hard and pine wood, from 12 to 20 years' growth, in lots of from two to ten acres; the entire stock and produce of the farm; all the farming tools; 10 cords dry pine and oak wood, &c. The Real Estate will be sold as follows:

Lot No. 1.—The Samuel Carter Lot, 9 acres. No. 2.—The Henry Carter lot, 6 acres. No. 3.—Fowle lot, 4 acres. No. 4.—Baldwin lot, 15 acres. No. 5—Richardson lot, 13 acres. No. 6.—Wright Meadow lot, 7 acres. No. 7.—Back Bone lot, 3 acres. No. 8 is the standing wood on 2 acres, called the Ox Pasture. No. 9—1 acre heavy

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Gentlemen, Youth or Boys.

nov 3—3m

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.

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Received this Day:

ONE BALE

RUSSIA CRASH,

At 12 1-2 Cents per yard!

CHAS. A. SMITH,

Bank Building.

Woburn, Oct. 13, 1866.

MRS. TODD

TAKES this opportunity of informing the ladies of Woburn that she is prepared to COLOR, CLEAN AND DO UP

Old Straw Hats & Bonnets,

at her residence, Lowell street. Also, DRESS MAKING done at short notice.

Any work or orders left with Mrs. LOCKERBY, Watchmaker, will be promptly attended to.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—4t

LATEST NOVELTIES

—IN—

DROP TRIMMINGS, BEAD GIMPS, CHENILLE FRINGES.

One Case Colored Velvet Ribbons,

in choice shades, at very low prices.

CROCHET, VELVET AND JET BUTTONS;

BELTINGS; PEARL, STEEL AND JET BELT CLASPS,

New styles, in great variety.

CORSETS! CORSETS!

Our regular make of German Corsets gives universal satisfaction, and our prices are extremely low.

We shall open on MONDAY, October 22, one case

NEW SLIPPER PATTERNS,

among which may be found some of the richest designs ever offered in this market.

GLOVES, HOSERY, UNDER-CLOTHING,

FOR LADIES, GENTLEMEN & CHILDREN, in great variety, and selected expressly for our retail trade.

We invite particular attention to our COTTON and WOOL RIBBED HOSE, for Ladies and Misses, they being of superior quality, and manufactured expressly for us.

JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.

17 Tremont Row, Boston.

oct 27—1m ONE PRICE ONLY.

G. LAMKIN,

DEALER IN

Boots and Shoes,

No. 10 Tremont Row,

BOSTON.

Established in 1849.

Jobbing & Retail.

EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Bo ts and Shoes,

OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE.

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

G. LAMKIN,

NO. 10 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

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NEW

Fall & Winter Goods.

CHANDLER & CO.

have received, and are now opening at their NEW STORE,

Nos. 27 & 29 Winter Street, BOSTON,

THEIR IMPORTATION OF

FALL & WINTER GOODS,

comprising an EXTENSIVE and ELEGANT stock of the following articles:—

FRENCH CASHMERE SHAWLS.
INDIA CASHMERE SHAWLS.
WOOLEN SHAWLS, new styles.
CHENILLE SHAWLS, new styles.
CLOAKS.
CLOTHS for WINTER GARMENTS.
BLACK SILKS, superior makes.
FANCY SILKS, new and beautiful colors.
FRENCH MERINOS.
FRENCH REPS.
PRINTED M. DELAINES.
PLAIN M. DELAINES.
FRENCH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
IRISH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
FRENCH PRINTS.
ENGLISH PRINTS.
ARTICLES for MOURNING.
EMBROIDERIES.
HOSIERY and GLOVES.

Also a complete stock of

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,

consisting of

Cottons, Linens, Linen Damasks, Damask Table-Cloths and Napkins Blankets and Quilts.

All of which will be offered at the lowest market prices, at

Wholesale and Retail.

oct 27—1m

TO THE PEOPLE OF WOBURN And Vicinity.

Frank B. Dodge,

Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

LARGE

AND

WELL SELECTED STOCK

OF

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

JEWELRY,

STERLING

SILVER WARE,

FANCY GOODS,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,

&c., &c., &c.,

His stock consists of all kinds of

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

FINE SILVER

AND

PLATED WARE,

And a general assortment of

Fancy Goods!

SUCH AS

ALBUMS,
LEATHER BAGS,
WATCH STANDS,
THERMOMETERS,
HDK'F and GLOVE BOXES,
DRESSING CASES,
FANS,

with a large variety of Lava, Parian and Etruscan

VASES,

COLOGNES, SMOKER SETS, MATCH BOXES, &c.

Fine Table Cutlery,

RAZORS,

POCKET KNIVES,

and every article usually found in a

FIRST CLASS

Jewelry Store.

Every article warranted to be as represented.

FINE WATCHES

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.

ALL KINDS OF

CLOCKS AND JEWELRY

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

OLD GOLD and SILVER taken in exchange.

Gold, Silver and Steel SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASS, &c.

Engraving Done to Order.

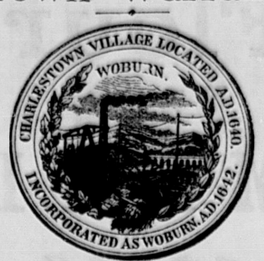
All goods sold by me, engraved free of charge.

Frank B. Dodge,

OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Nov. 3, 1866.—3m

Town Warrant.



Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn, in said County, Greeting:

IN the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Woburn, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Woburn, on Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, it being the sixth day of said month, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, at 10 o'clock, A. M., to bring in their votes to the Selectmen, for a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary, Treasurer and Receiver General, Auditor of Accounts, and Attorney General, for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; one County Commissioner and Clerk of the Courts, for the County of Middlesex; one Councillor, for District No. 6; a Representative, to represent the Sixth Massachusetts District in the fortieth Congress; one Senator, for the Sixth Middlesex District—all on one ballot. Also, for one Representative, to represent the Twenty-second Middlesex District in the next Legislature of Massachusetts.

The polls will be closed at half past four, P. M.

And you are also required to notify and warn the inhabitants of Woburn, qualified as aforesaid, to meet at the same place, on the same day, at two o'clock, P. M., to act on the following articles, viz:

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see if the town will accept the List of Jurors, as reported by the Selectmen.

Art. 3. To see if the town will accept of the bequest of the late Sewell Flagg, and determine what disposition shall be made of it.

Art. 4. To hear and act on the report of the Soldiers' Monument Committee.

Art. 5. To see if the town will give the Monument Committee any further instructions in regard to the location and erection of the Soldiers Monument, or do any thing in relation to the same.

Art. 6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase any land for the enlargement of the Cemetery, or do any thing in relation to the same.

Art. 7. To hear and act on the report of the Selectmen, on laying out a street, leading from Railroad to Green street, as petitioned for by Joshua Stoddard and others.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by causing the same to be published seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting, in the Middlesex Journal.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to ourselves, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands, and the seal of the Town affixed, this twenty-third day of October, A. D., 1866.

CHARLES CHOATE,
E. E. THOMPSON,
JACOB BROWN,
D. O. BLANCHARD,
E. F. POOLE,
WILLIAM TOTMAN,
LUKE R. TIDD,
F. C. PARKER,
Selectmen of Woburn.

A True Copy. Attest,
EDWARD SIMONDS,
Constable of Woburn.

Buy Your FLOUR, GRAIN AND Groceries OF Stearns, Hart & Co.

WILLCOX & GIBBS' SEWING MACHINES.

STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,

AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.

A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

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Bill-heads printed at this office.

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READ what Dr. Scovill says of ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM:

Messrs. J. N. HARRIS & CO.:

GENTS—I make the following statement from a perfect conviction and knowledge of the benefits of ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM in curing the most deep-seated PULMONARY CONSUMPTION! I have witnessed its effects on the young and the old, and I can truly say that it is by far the best expectorant remedy with which I am acquainted. For Coughs, and all the early stages of Lung complaints, I believe it to be a certain cure, and if every family would keep it by them, ready to administer upon the first appearance of disease about the Lungs, there would be very few cases of fatal consumption! It causes the phlegm and matter to raise, without irritating those delicate organs (the Lungs), and without producing constipation of the bowels. It also gives strength to the system, stops the night-sweats, and changes all the morbid secretions to a healthy state. Yours respectfully,

A. L. SCOVILL.

Sold by all Medicine Dealers. nov 3—1m

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

WHOOPING-COUGH CURED.

Cayuga, Hinds County, Miss.

T. ALLCOCK & CO.—Gentlemen: Please send me another six dozen of your Porous Plasters. They are in great demand here for Whooping-cough. They act like a charm. I could have sold two dozen this week if I had had them. Send as soon as possible, and oblige. Yours respectfully,

JOHN I. WILLIAMS, P. M.

ASTHMA CURED.

Mr. Wm. May, of 245 Spring Street, New York, writes, Jan. 1, 1866: I have been afflicted with asthma for upwards of ten years, receiving no benefit from medical men. I was advised by a friend to try one of Allcock's Porous Plasters. I said, I had tried several kinds of plasters without any benefit, and supposed they were all alike. My friend gave me one of Allcock's, and urged me to use it. I did so, and have now worn them steady for nine months, and find myself better than I have been for many years. Agency, Brandreth House, New York. Sold by Druggists. oct 27—1m

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Constantly advancing in public favor, throughout the United States, the British Colonies and Spanish America, and needing no

Flourish of Trumpets

to proclaim its success, that standard article,

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE,

is now far ahead of any preparation of its class. People of fashion, at length thoroughly understand the terrible consequences entailed by the use of metallic and caustic preparation, and admit the superiority of this famous vegetable Dye, Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers. oct 27—1m

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PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER, after a through trial, by innumerable living witnesses, has proved itself the medicine of the age. Although there have been many medicinal preparations brought before the public since the first introduction of Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer, and large amounts expended in their introduction, the Pain Killer has continued to steadily advance in the estimation of the world as the best Family Medicine ever introduced. It is an internal and external remedy. One positive proof of its efficacy is, that the sales have constantly increased, and wholly upon its own merits. The effect of the Pain Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cold, Cough, Bowel Complaints, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain as an external remedy, in cases of Burns, Bruises, Sores, Sprains, Cuts, Sting of Insects, and other causes of suffering, has secured for it a host of testimony, as an almost infallible remedy, that it will be handed down to posterity as one of the greatest medical discoveries of the nineteenth century.—oct27—1m

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Ho! Ye Costive Ones!

COME TO THE HEALING FOUNT!

SANBORN'S PILLS

Will cure CONSTIPATION, all BILLIOUS DISORDERS, and HEADACHE.

They do not gripe, and are sure to operate.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.

will give them to you for 25 cents a box. Try them!

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FRUIT TREES

AND

GRAPE VINES,

SMALL FRUITS, ROSES, SHRUBS, PLANTS AND

HOLLAND FLOWER ROOTS.

An extensive, complete, first class stock, offered in quantities as desired, at low prices. Sample lots shown at Cellar 28 Water street. Catalogues now ready. B. T. WELLS & CO.,

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HAVE TAKEN THE

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At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.

Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind.

For FAMILY SEWING.
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AGENT,

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HOSIERY, GLOVES,

AND

UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

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AND

VIEWS.

JOSEPH L. BATES,

129 Washington Street . . . Boston,

Offers for sale a very superior stock of foreign Stereoscopic Pictures of recent importation.

Also, American Views of the War—Boston—Niagara—New York—White Mountains—Cape Ann, &c., &c., &c., THE BEST STEREOSCOPES, always for sale. The prices will be found low.

oct 27—1m

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

Druggists & Apothecaries,

No. 5 Wade Block,

Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock!

The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of

Drugs, Chemicals,

ETC., ETC.,

and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with

RELIABLE GOODS.

A full assortment of all the most popular

PATENT MEDICINES

OF THE DAY,

Constantly on hand. Our stock of

SOAPS,

PERFUMERY,

TOOTH BRUSHES,

ETC.,

will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of

Physicians' Prescriptions,

and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.

If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.

We shall make a specialty of

Fresh Herbs,

AND SHALL KEEP

A FULL VARIETY.

We have also added to the Stock

SOME CHOICE BRANDS

OF

CIGARS

AND

TOBACCO!

CIGARS BY THE BOX,

VERY LOW.

We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

No. 5 Wade Block.

J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PASSPORTS

Furnished to persons going to Foreign Countries, by

JAMES B. BELL,

NOTARY PUBLIC AND COMMISSIONER FOR ALL THE

STATES AND TERRITORIES;

For the Acknowledgement of Deeds, Powers of Attorney, Affidavits, Depositions, &c.

No. 4 State, corner Washington Street,

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WHY WILL YOU SUFFER?

The remedy is within reach of all. *Smolander's Compound Fluid Extract of Buchu*, will cure you of all *Kidney Diseases, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Dropsy*, and *Chronic Gonorrhœa* and will renew and restore your exhausted and failing energies. If you have been a too eager *votary of pleasure* nothing will do you so much good as *Smolander's Extract Buchu*. For many diseases incident to females, *Smolander's Buchu* is a sure and sovereign remedy. *Get the Genuine. Price Only One Dollar.*

Sold by W. C. BRIGHAM.

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BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, General Agents.

ASK FOR SMOLANDER'S BUCHU.

june30

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50 Acres of Wood & Timber,

OF 80 YEARS' GROWTH,

AT AUCTION.

On Monday, Nov. 12th, 1866,

at 9 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at auction, in lots, that well known lot of Wood and Timber, situated in North Woburn, called the "Step Rock Lot." Said wood consists of a large growth of Oak, Maple, Pitch and White Pine, and cannot be excelled by any lot of wood in this section of the State, for quantity and quality per acre. The location is excellent, and is accessible at all seasons of the year. It borders on the street leading from the residence of Charles Eames, Esq., to the Chemical Works, in North Woburn, at the Boston & Lowell Railroad, is within forty rods of said road, and one mile from Dea. Stephen Richardson's Saw Mill.

This sale offers the best opportunity to Wheelwrights and other persons desirous of purchasing Oak, Pitch and White Pine Timber, suitable for sawing and other purposes, that has been offered to the public, at auction, in this vicinity for years.

☞ There is on said lot a large amount of Oak Timber Trees, suitable for KNEES, for Ship Builders' use.

This sale is worthy of the public notice, for it is no exaggeration to say that this is the LARGEST AND BEST growth of wood and timber that there is now standing in this section of the State.

COME ALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES!

By order of GEO. R. BALDWIN.

WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.

P. S.—If stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour.

Woburn, Oct. 27, 1866.—2t

Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.

B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.

oct 6—3m

House and Land For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to

EDWARD W. BROOKS.

Woburn, Oct. 6th, 1866. 2t*

NEW

FISH MARKET.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of

FRESH AND SALT FISH,

OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,

and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.

All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage.

JAMES A. YOUNG.

Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

Choice English

Breakfast Tea,

FOR SALE BY

URBANE DERBY.

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"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,

INSURANCE AGENT,

feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

S. S. HOUGHTON'S

POPULAR STORE

ENLARGED.

We have enlarged our New Store opposite the Boston Museum, by adding the basement; rendering it still more commodious for the goods, which we are offering at reduced prices.

In the Basement.

Quilts, Blankets, Cottons, Linens, Diapers, Towels, Crashes, Flannels, Plaid Cambrics, Brilliants, Book and Swiss Muslins, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Balmorals, &c.

On the First Floor.

Every variety Fine French *Flowers, Feathers, Roses, &c.*, every new style Ladies' and Children's Straw and Felt *Bonnets, Hats, Turbans, Frames, Bonnet Ribbons, Velvets, &c.*, at very low prices. Also, all kinds *Embroideries, Lace Goods, Linen Collars, Lace Veils, Umbrellas and Sun Shades.*

OUR DEPARTMENT OF

LADIES' UNDER-GARMENTS

contains a full assortment of every thing wanted, *Ready-made.*

All Goods warranted perfect; if found imperfect, the money will be refunded.

Store 45 and 47 Tremont Street,

BOSTON,

Nearly opposite the Museum. Also at our old stand,

OPPOSITE THE TREMONT HOUSE.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.

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LEARNARD & HARTLEY.

CARPETINGS,

OIL CLOTHS,

AND

WINDOW SHADES,

AT THE

OLD STAND,

136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,

oct20 3m BOSTON.

G. R. GAGE,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

New Bank Building, Woburn,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he is now located in his new store, where, with increased facilities, he is ready to fill their orders with promptness and despatch.

BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS

made in the best style, and warranted to fit.

Particular attention paid to making

Boys' Clothing,

He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.

FURNISHING GOODS

of all kinds, and of the best qualities, constantly on hand.

BOSTON AND LOWELL

And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave Boston for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.00 p m.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8 am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12 15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 5.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.15, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.30, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00 p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7.22, 8.30, a.m, 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.20 a m. 2.29, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.5 am, 1.00, 2.58, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05 7.40, 9.00, 10.24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7 15, 7.52, 9.18, 10 20 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8.28 p. m.

*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2.15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston, 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.

†Wednesdays at 10.15 p.m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham ‡ at 8.00, A M, 12 15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5.52, and 7.32, 8.52, 10.15, A. M., 1.00, 4.52, and 6.30, P M.

‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent.

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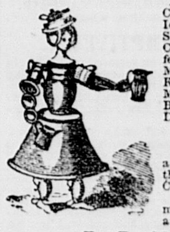
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PLATED WARE, Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

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To give any customer a good THIBET DRESS, for $1 a yard.

A good pair of CASHMERE HOSE, for 25 cents.

A good pair of All Wool BLANKETS for $5 to $10

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PRINTS, fast colors, for 15 cts. per yard.

LADIES' GARMENTS, from $5 to $20.

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Fine lot of CHENILLE SHAWLS cheap.

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MRS. M. E. FIELD,

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MILLINERY!

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FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,

WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

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IMPORTERS OF

CARPETINGS

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SHOULD EXAMINE THEIR STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

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QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,

AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
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And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

sept29—1y

A HUMBUG.

HOW OFTEN WE HEAR THIS EXPRESSION from persons reading advertisements of Patent Medicines, and in nine cases out of ten they may be right. It is over 19 years since I introduced my medicine, the VENETIAN LINIMENT, to the public. I had no money to advertise it, so I left it for sale with a few druggists and storekeepers through a small section of the country, many taking it with great reluctance; but I told them to let any one have it, and if it did not do all I stated on my pamphlet, no one need pay for it. In some stores two or three bottles were taken on trial by persons present. I was, by many, thought crazy, and that would be the last they would see of me. But I knew my medicine was no humbug. In about two months I began to receive orders for more Liniment, some calling it my valuable Liniment, who had refused to sign a receipt when I left it at their store. Now my sales are millions of bottles yearly, and all for cash. I warrant it superior to any other medicine for the cure of Croup, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Vomiting, Spasms, and Sea sickness, as an internal remedy. It is perfectly innocent to take internally, see oath accompanying each bottle,—and externally for Chronic Rheumatism, Headache, Mumps, Frosted Feet, Bruises, Sprains, Old Sores, Swellings, Sore Throats, &c., &c. Sold by all the Druggists. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

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STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee specific and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from *whatever cause*. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR.

jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

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The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

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NOTICE.

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DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No. 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvement to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

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OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

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$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

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JUST RECEIVED

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ENGLISH & AMERICAN

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ALL GRADES

The very latest styles.

ALSO,

Oil Cloths from 3 to 24 feet wide,

from the most reliable manufacturers, all of which will be sold at the very

LOWEST PRICES.

Parties furnishing houses will not omit to see our stock before purchasing.

NEW GOODS received daily from steamers and the best manufacturers.

GOLDTHWAIT, SNOW & KNIGHT,

No. 33 Washington St., Boston.

sept 15—8t

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,596,252.09
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN MCGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, A. F. WILMARTH,
Ass't Sec'y. Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

HORACE COLLAMORE
DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.
OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK, Woburn Centre.

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MUSEUM BUILDING,

18 TREMONT STREET, BOSTON.

oct13—1m

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Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture,

AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also,

WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT, THE—

OLD STAND,

136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,

oct 13—3m BOSTON.

WINE, GREEN, BLUE, PURPLE

Thibet, $1,

—AT—

CURRIER'S.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

AT BIG BARGAINS!

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CURRIER'S.

94 Hanover Street, Boston.

Bargains! Bargains!

—IN—

SHAWLS, BALMORALS

—AND—

BLACK SILKS,

CURRIER'S.

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Bill-heads printed at this office.

JOB LOT 120 DOZ. BEST

GERMAN CORSETS,

(Warranted Whalebone,)

AT RETAIL, $1.37 A PAIR.

JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.,

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A GOOD an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

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which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

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LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

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DR. C. T. LANG,

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Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

Woburn Centre, Mass.

Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

NITROUS OXYD GAS, or SULPHURIC ETHER, Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain*. Charges moderate.

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



After 20 Years suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.

july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. Retrusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

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SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,

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For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.

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SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.

SPARROW HORTON,

feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10,

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Special Notice.

THE attention of the people of Woburn and vicinity is called to the

HOWE

SEWING MACHINES,

FOR FAMILY SEWING.

They are superior to any in the market; are simple, durable, and very easily understood and kept in order.

The Manufacturing Machines are taking the place of all other machines for Boot and Shoe Fitting, doing the work superior to all others. Also, TAILORING WORK.

CALL AND SEE THEM!

FOR SALE BY

Charles Pierce,

OVER HAYWARD'S STORE, MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1865.—3m

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MANSFIELD'S

BOOT & SHOE EMPORIUM

Having been closed for repairs, is now open with a prime assortment of Goods suitable for the coming season, and at prices that will defy all competition.

Ladies' Double Sole Cloth Boots.	$2.50
" " " Calf "	3.00
" Rubbers	1.00
Miss and Children's Boots for School, stout and cheap.	
Men's Ct. Double Sole Boots	5.00
Boys' " " "	3.50
Youths' " " "	3.00
Women's Rubbers	1.25

And everything else equally low. Will be happy to show Goods.

MANSFIELDS'

14 TREMONT ROW, Boston.

oct13—4t

CARPETS. CARPETS.

AT LOW PRICES!

Quick Sales can be made if the prices are low.

We have concluded to sell our large stock at some price or other THIS MONTH.

BRUSSELS,	COMMON ALL WOOL,
VELVETS,	OIL CLOTHS,
THREE-PLYS,	MATTINGS,
KIDDERMINSTER,	BOCKINGS, &C.

A lot of ALL WOOL CARPETS at $1.12 1-2.

F. B. WENTWORTH & CO.,

66 HANOVER STREET,

Under the American House.

oct 13—1m

New Millinery Rooms.

MISSES C. M. ADAMS & L. HARDY,

(Late with J. W. Coverly & Co.,)

Would respectfully inform their friends and customers that they have taken rooms at

120 Tremont St., Boston,

Where they would be happy to serve those who may favor them with their patronage. All orders promptly and faithfully executed.

Rooms No. 10 and 11. oct 13—1m

Flour,

FEED,

MEAL

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GRAIN,

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford.

By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES.

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

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OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



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NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. jan20—1y

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C. S. ADKINS,

DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY,

PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
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CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

Next door to the Post Office,

Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors*. Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60*.

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

DR. S. STOCKING,

DENTAL SURGEON,

Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.

sept22—6m

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NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

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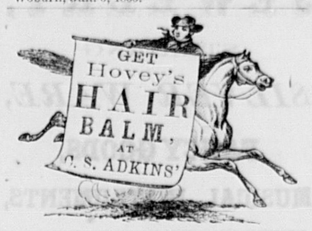
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Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

PITTSBURGH, May 10th, 1866.

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aug 11—6m

THOUGHTS ON THE CLIFFS.

Silent we sat on the cliff's bleak side;
Fast at our feet rose the heaving tide:
Down in the west the red sun died;

Died on the billowy clouds' soft breast,
Died on the bright waves' rearing crest,
And dying went to a golden rest.

Purple glow'd amid rocks the heath,
Soothingly rippled the the waves beneath,
Hiding the grim rocks' pointed teeth.

Brilliant clouds of many a hue
Sped o'er the sky and pass'd from view,
Leaving above a clear void of blue.

Nothing around us moved or stirr'd:—
Save the Ocean's murmur we only heard
The moaning cry of the wild sea-bird.

Glimmer'd a white sail ont afar;
Quietly peep'd forth the evening star.
What such a peaceful scene could mar?

Thoughts of the Past and its fleeting years,
Of our Childhood's changeful smiles and tears,
Of Youth-time's flick'ring hopes and fears.

Thoughts of the Present, fraught with pain,
And fill'd with longings so fierce and vain,
For that which will never come again.

Thoughts of the Future's gath'ring gloom,
Thoughts of the strange unlook'd for doom
Which had buried our Love in an early tomb.

A STILL DAY IN AUTUMN.

BY MRS. SARAH HELEN WHITMAN.

I love to wander through the woodland hoary,
In the soft gleam of the Autumnal day,
When Summer gathers up her robes of glory
And like a dream of beauty glides away.

How through each loved, familiar path she lingers,
Serenely smiling through the golden mist,
Tinting the wild grape with her tiny fingers,
Till the cool emerald turns to amethyst.

Kindling the faint stars of the hazel, shining
To light the gloom of Autumn's mouldering halls,
With hoary plumes the clematis entwining,
Where o'er the rock her withered garment falls.

When lights are on the sleepy upland waning,
Beneath dark clouds along the horizon rolled,
Till the faint sunbeams through their fingers raining,
Bathe all the hills in melancholy gold.

The moist winds breathe of clasped leaves and flowers,
In the damp hollows of the woodland sown,
Mingled the freshness of Autumnal showers
With spicy airs from cedern alleys blown.

Beside the brook and on the umbered meadow,
Where yellow fern tufts fleck the faded ground,
With folded lids beneath their palmy shadow
The gentian nods, in downy slumbers bound.

Upon those soft, fringed lids the bee sits brooding,
Like a fond lover loth to say farewell—
Or, with shut wings, through silken folds intruding,
Creeps near her heart his drowsy tale to tell.

The little birds upon the hillside lonely
Flit noiselessly along from spray to spray,
Silent as a sweet, wandering thought that only
Shows its bright wings and softly glides away.

The scentless flowers in the warm sunlight dreaming,
Forget to breathe their fullness of delight,
And through the tranced woods soft airs are streaming,
Still as a dew-fall on a summer night.

So, in my heart, a sweet unwonted feeling
Stirs, like the wind in ocean's hollow swell,
Through all its secret chambers sadly stealing,
Yet finds no word its mystic charms to tell.

THE SOCIAL AFFECTIONS.—The following exquisite passage occurs in a discourse delivered a short time since by Rev. J. C. French, a young clergyman in Brooklyn, pastor of the Ormond Place church:—

In this world affection demands affection, and generally in equal measures. Love is the food of love. It is called a passion, yet it has nearly all the attributes of an appetite. It is quickened by the presence of its object, it craves its nutriment, it may be fed even to satiety and disgust. Affection is like the morning glory which shoots up its delicate, spiral, out-feeling vine, and not finding its coveted support, trails downward, becomes trodden under foot, and dies. There is only one kind of love which is able to survive, in perennial bloom and strength, the winters of entire and frosty neglect. This is parental, or it would be more accurate to say, *maternal*. The mother follows her boy forever, vagrant, depraved, hostile, insulting though he be. But the love of friend for friend will not long endure such stunning shocks. Its first element is *respect*. Never was there any love worthy the name without this. And the moment this is impaired by a discovery of vulgarity, cowardice or dishonesty—the moment your human god becomes revealed a Bacchus or a Vulcan, or your goddess a Venus, your ardor cools, unless your taste inclines towards those deities of coarse indulgance. The second element in a true affection is *confidence*. This will naturally follow respect. Therefore, conversely, if respect has vanished, confidence will not long tarry behind it. If true affection cannot exist without these elements; if you, in loving, bring respect and confidence to your friend, you naturally expect the same from him. You demand the demonstrations which these inspire. You observe and are chilled by the slightest indifference or unresponsiveness. You pine in sadness if the tokens of affection are withheld which you had a right to expect. If long continued, your devotion wanes. For reciprocation was the fuel upon its altar. That withheld, the fire burns low. It is this which makes variableness in a friend so stinging at the first, and so sure to produce ultimate alienation. These principles are universal. Occasional exceptions only prove the rule. Platonic love is a vagary, a brief farce. It is a flame without heat. It may be brillian as the anrora, but it is as frigid. It is a January affair. It might do for a race of Boreal angels whose home was on icebergs; but never for this latitude. I think that love very seldom grows out of or is sustained by the attention to abstract *qualities*, for those very same qualities exist in a host of other friends for whom our regard is in no sense or degree, love. This passion is rather the product of result of certain undefinable subtle magnetism or affiinities, by which the heart instinctively elects its objects. Hence we do not find the strongly intellectual always choosing the intellectual, nor the nicely refined the refined, nor the amiable electing the amiable, nor the spiritual affiliating with the spiritual. For it is not primarily *qualities* which the soul seeks, chooses, and by which it is bound, but rather certain responsive affections, reciprocated passions, indescribable congenialities, and these frequently exhibit to the world the most amazing unions, which to our eyes seem wholly incongruous if not impossible. But *one* thing there must be—mutual confidence, and expression of love, or the relation expires for want of sustenance; the proffered love degenerates into a mere sentiment, and at last evaporates altogether. It was for this reason that Paul, loving the Corinthians and being hurt by their apparent indifference, charges them to be enlarged in affection towards him, that his own love to them might not have even a possible pretex of growing coldness.

The Pacific Railroad—Progress on the Sierra Nevada Slopes.—A Boston paper says: "Though there is a heavier force of men and teams at work on the California end of the Pacific Railroad than on this, the progress in distance is far slower; for while here the path lies along an absolute plain, there it is up and over the grand Sierra Nevada chain of mountains. About 12,000 Chinamen are at work on the road-bed in California, and an additional 10,000 have been contracted for, to be put upon the line next spring, when the contractors will be grading on this slope of the Sierras and beginning to stretch their labor out on to the plains and into the valleys of Nevada. Now the track is completed to within sixteen miles of the summit of the mountains, and the following table of statistics, distances and altitudes, from Sacramento on to the summit, shows how the iron pathway is mounting the great hills of the Pacific slopes of the continent. At Cisco, which the completed road has now reached, the locomotive screams on a spot as high as Mount Washington, the highest of our New England mountains:

	Distance (miles).	Elevation (feet.)
Sacramento,	--	54
Arcade,	7 1-2	76
Antelope,	15	180
Junction,	18	189
Rocklin,	32	269
Pino,	25	418
Newcastle,	31	989
Auburn,	36	1,385
Clipper Gap,	42	1,785
Colfax,	62	2,443
Gold Run,	64 1-2	3,245
Dutch Flat,	67	3,425
Alta,	69	3,625
Cisco,	93	5,911
Summit,	105 1-4	7,042

Some of the structures of the work on the last section of the road are grandly massive. A California Journal says one culvert, at the crossing of Canon Creek, is a noble piece of solid masonry, twenty-eight feet in height and fifty-four feet in breadth. The forests of towering pines—the towering mountain peaks and yawning rifts and chasms, traversed by the railroad between Alta and Cisco, present a sublime panorama, which is destined to be a favorite study for the art-loving tourists, not only during our day, but one which will be contemplated with no less delight by unborn generations."

SAFETY FOR CAPITAL.—An effort is making to encourage the investment of Northern capital in the South, and to invite immigration. Pecuniary interests, not to speak of higher considerations, prompt to a more friendly feeling. In this respect, an improvement is very perceptible. The New Orleans Picayune contends that if capital is safe anywhere it is in the Southern States. The editor predicts that there will never be civil war again, or political revolution, or even a respectable attempt at commotion, either in the present generation, or the next, in the Southern States:

Even the most doubting and distrustful of the future of the Federal Government cannot find the first element of commotion or discord here, nor can we foresee them in the most distant future. Our State and local government and all departments of business and society are now, after more than a year of zealous, persistent effort, reorganized on the basis of public and private security, and working happily. With these lessons indelibly impressed upon our minds, and with this determination, where can there be found a country in which capital can be more securely invested than in this? And where more profitably? In consequence of the late unfortunate attempt at revolution, a vast amount of the most valuable property has been thrown upon the market at the lowest prices. The immediate necessities of individuals who suffered most severely during the war have brought with them, to such as have ready money, the most admirable opportunities, such as offer themselves only in a century, to possess themselves of stocks, real estate, and all kinds of property, frequently at one-eighth their real value. This is the view which a great many Northern people are actually taking of our affairs, and hence the Southern country has, thus early in the season, a far larger number of visitors looking around for profitable business and investment than ever before.

An American Colony in the Holy Land. On the 11th of last Aug., the bark Nellie Chapin sailed from Jonesport, Me., freighted with a colony of Americans, under the leadership of Rev. G. J. Adams, and, after an unprecedentedly short and pleasant voyage of forty-two days, arrived at her destination on the 22d of September. Dr. Mayo G. Smith, of Newburyport, who accompanied the party, writes that the vessel was at anchor off Jaffa, Oct. 4th, with all her company in good health and spirits, and much gratified at an order which had just been issued by the Turkish Government, to the effect that they would be permitted to land all that they had brought with them, free of duty. The colony, which consists of one hundred and fifty-six persons, and embrace men, women, and children, carried with them building materials for a small village. The site of this village, which is to include a church, school-house, a public store, and a sawmill, is described as a beautiful orange grove, ten acres in extent, and is to be surrounded by a cactus fence. The surrounding country is said to be clothed with verdure, and to be capable, under proper cultivation, of producing three crops annually. Dr. Smith further writes:

"The air is generally clear and mild. Everything is lovely but the natives, who are indolent, treacherous, and bloody. Of the various races who curse the land with their presence, the Turks are the least vicious, but their bigotry is so intense, and their assumption of superiority so offensive, that even they are more to be feared than trusted. The mischief which the Greeks, Arabs, Egyptians, and others perpetrate for plunder, the Turks perpetrate in blind zeal for religion. Surrounded by such neighbors, the colonists will have hard work to protect themselves: but it seems, aware of their defenceless condition, the United States Consul had already visited them, and was making arrangements with the Turkish Government to secure them from present molestation. But it is doubtful whether the government will keep a military force always in the vicinity to protect a few Christian colonists."

A FREE PRESS.—Despotism abhors a free expression of opinion. One of the most odious effects of Austrian rule in Italy has been the suppression of the voice of the people, not only in public assemblies, but in the newspaper press. The enjoyment of liberty, as conferred by the government of Victor Emanuel, is already attended in Venice with a change as significant as it is gratifying. A letter from Milan, dated Oct. 10th, says:—

Austria has tolerated no newspapers in Venice; the two or three sheets published there were wholly in the interests of Austrian Imperialism, as dumb and lifeless as dead dogs upon the great questions of the age; but as trees in spring time suddenly take on greenness, so Venice puts forth its leaves under the Italian sunshine. The treaty of Jena was signed on the 5th, and on that self same day two papers made their appearance in Venice. This morning I learn that no less than thirteen newspapers are announced as having started or to be started! United Italy tolerates free thought and speech while Austria puts the padlock upon men's hearts and lips.

HOUSEHOLD FRIENDS.—Coe's Cough Balsam and Coe's Dyspepsia Cure—they should always be in the house ready for immediate use; they are the most reliable remedies known. The one always handy and speedy in cases of sudden attacks of croup amongst the children, or for curing the most stubborn coughs and colds, is excellent for sore throat and all lung difficulties; the other—Coe's Dyspepsia Cure—is certain to cure dyspepsia, no matter of how long standing, indigestion, and all diseases that originate in a disordered state of the stomach and bowels.

The last novelty in the way of locomotion is to be among the many wonders at the great exhibition. It consists of a mechanical horse, which trots, gallops or walks, as may suit the pleasure of the rider. He even prances after the most approved style, and neighs when that sound is agreeable to its posessor.

A PROCLAMATION
FOR A
DAY OF PUBLIC THANKSGIVING & PRAISE.

By and with the advice and consent of the Council, I do hereby set apart Thursday, the 29th day of November next, to be observed throughout this Commonwealth as a day of public Thanksgiving and Praise.

By divine favor the people of Massachusetts have enjoyed another year of peace, prosperity and progress. In the return of seed-time and harvest; in the increase of the ground; in the profitable pursuit of commerce, manufactures and every department of industry—we have abundant reason to remember that every good gift is from above and cometh down from the Father of Light.

The bestowments of our Heavenly Father have not been limited to earthly possessions. In the increase of their wealth He has inspired the people with a conception of its highest and noblest uses. Never before, since the State was established, have the hearts of its citizens been more generously disposed toward every good work of religion, education and humanity; and our churches, colleges, schools and all beneficent institutions, are transmitting the bounty of the present to enrich and ennoble the next generation. It hath also pleased God to excite all the Christian denominations in this State to spread in the benighted parts of the earth a knowledge of the Gospel of His Son, which our constitution and laws recognize as essential to virtue, happiness and safety.

In national relations he has kept the mind of the people true and steadfast. In the work of restoring and reconstructing the government of the country, the inhabitants of this State have measured their duty by the precepts of their religion. With charity to all, and without a spirit of revenge even towards those who levied a war in which thousands of their own sons were slain, they have instructed their representatives and public servants to welcome back every section and every people, upon the acknowledgment and enforcement of the equal rights of all men, without which there can be no enduring security. Having learned this from their fathers, they have been enabled thus far to stand for it with the firmness of religious conviction.

I accordingly recommend to the people of Massachusetts that, on the day appointed, they should assemble in their houses of public worship to honor and praise the Lord:

That He has made the clouds to drop down the dew, and our land to yield her increase:

That He has kept away from our borders the pestilence which all so greatly feared:

That He has strengthened our Sion, by disposing and enabling them to keep strong and good the defences of religion, education, temperance, morality and philanthropy:

That He has sustained their hearts in all the struggles for the rights of man, and has given them just and manly sensibilities towards the outcasts of Israel:

That He has been the gracious benefactor of this Commonwealth from her earliest days, and has given her an influence for good in all times of danger and trial.

These things have come from the Lord our God, and call upon the people of the State for gratitude, praise and thanksgiving.

"Happy art thou, O Israel; who is like unto thee, O people saved of the Lord, the shield of thy help, and who is the sword of thy excellency!"

Given at the Council Chamber, in Boston, this twelfth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and the ninety-first of the Independence of the United States of America.

ALEXANDER H. BULLOCK.

PAPER MILLS.—In the United States there are 750 paper mills in active operation. They produce 270,000,000 pounds of paper which at an average of ten cents per pound, would be worth $27,000,000. As it requires about a pound and one-half of rags to make one pound of paper, there are consumed by these mills 400,000,000 pounds of rags in a single year. If we estimate the rags to cost four cents per pound, there would be a profit of $11,000,000 in this branch of manufacturing.

The largest crop of sea island cotton produced heretofore was about fifty thousand bales. The crop this season is not estimated, by the Georgia and South Carrolina papers, at more than fifteen or twenty thousand bales, even with the benefit of favorable weather and the absense of frost. This crop is however much greater than was expected, for the estimate two months ago was for only one-sixth of a crop.—*National Intelligencer.*

The Middlesex Journal,

—AND—

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SATURDAY, Nov. 10, 1866.

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THE IRISH IN AMERICA.

The Emerald Isle has sent out a mighty emigration to this country, and the cry is still they come. Such an exodus is remarkable, and will work great changes in Ireland itself, but will most particularly affect the United States. The hand of providence is in it, and it is well to consider the consequences. Some of the present results are the following:

1. Ireland has furnished laborers to America whose services have greatly contributed to the construction of rail roads, water works, wharves, factory and other buildings. Endowed with strength, and capable of enduring the hardest and most protracted toil, the Irish have supplied a want created by the age of improvement, which it was impossible for the native race to fill. In our workshops and factories, they have also providentially occupied places that would otherwise have remained unfilled. As domestic help, men and women, but chiefly the latter, they have been employed to the very great relief and comfort of those whom they have served. They are commencing to fill other places of more responsibility and requiring more mental ability.

2. The Irish have assisted us in putting down the rebellion, and they have filled places at home which Americans left vacant in going into the army.

3. These sons and daughters of Erin have supplied in their fine physical condition, the robust health that was greatly needed in consequence of the deterioration which had taken place in our native population. They furnish healthy children, and in large numbers, to people the country.

4. These immigrants not only have greatly contributed to the national wealth and to the increased capital of individuals and companies employing them, but they have acquired property and have greatly improved their own condition. They now expend a large amount of money, and are important customers to traders and others.

5. The Irish are becoming intelligent, able to appreciate their privileges, and capable of exercising the right of voting, and are attached to the country and its institutions, and their children will become more entirely American.

There are some that object to the Irish, that they are for the most part Roman Catholics, and that religion is supposed to be unfriendly to free institutions, to personal independence, and to the development of the whole man. But it may be replied that Romanism, in the nature of things, must be modified by our political and educational institutions, and that the children of the Catholics mingling more freely with our own youth, and learning for the most part in our public schools, will demand in the future important modifications of the Romish faith and practice, and throw off the shackles of the dark ages, with which they have been bound.

The Irish are an impulsive people, and are liable to fight first and reason afterwards, but they will become more cool and calculating by dwelling among us, and more stable as their interest in the nation increaseth by reason of wealth, children, and attachment to free institutions, which afford them so much advantage.

We are inclined to estimate the Irish immigration as, on the whole, a great benefit to America. It is to be hoped that they in time will be more assimilated with our native population, and, as it were, incorporated with us; and with the other nationalities, German, French, Italian, Swedes, Danes, Spanish and Portuguese, form one people, combining the excellencies of all.

The Irish have wit and humor, and are a patient and cheerful people. We may have some fears about the Fenian movement, that it may embroil us in a war with England, or lead to a war among ourselves; but we hope that it will be otherwise.

We are to give the Irish a cordial welcome to a land where they are no longer oppressed, and trust them as fellow citizens, having with us a common interest in the welfare of this Union of States. We are to encourage them to educate themselves and their children, and to be reverent to God, but not to allow men to usurp the rights of reason and of conscience. With us they must stand shoulder to shoulder to uphold the Union and constitution of these United States.

Hints to Young Men, on the True Relation of the Sexes. By John Ware, M. D., Boston. A. Williams & Co. This is a most valuable work, and should have an extensive circulation. It is endorsed by such men as Theophilus Parsons, Samuel G. Howe, Alex. H. Vinton, Geo. B. Emerson, and J. B. Waterbury, who state in the preface to the first edition, that they "think it excellently well adapted to its purpose: accurate, clear, and truthful, but never offensive to modesty, nor suggestive of evil thoughts. It represents the evil effects of vice faithfully, but without the exaggeration which has sometimes prevented reform, by the belief that reform was impossible, or would be useless, and has thus produced despair instead of repentance. It places the relation of the sexes upon its true grounds; and it arms the tempted with the strongest motives of resistance."

The publishers will send copies of the work to any address on receipt of 40 cts.; and will supply clergymen, and others interested in its wide dissemination, for 30 cents per copy. It is also for sale at the Woburn Bookstore.

PRESENTATION.—On Tuesday evening a large number of the friends and former parishoners of Rev. Dr. J. C. Bodwell, assembled, on invitation, at the residence of D. D. Hart, Esq., in Woburn, for the ostensible purpose of simply passing the evening in social converse, but the real object, unknown perhaps to a majority of the guests, was to present to Dr. Bodwell, a remarkably unique and splendid silver tea service, elaborately and beautifully embossed, which had been purchased for him by his friends. The service was designed and manufactured by the "Gorham Company," without regard to expense, and is superior to any ever before made by that celebrated establishment, and in taste and workmanship surpasses that recently presented to Collector Hamlin, in Boston. All the articles have the letter "B" in relief, and one of the principal vessels bears the following inscription:—

"FROM WOBURN FRIENDS.
1866."

At about nine o'clock, Dr. Bodwell was requested to visit one of the parlors, where the service had been carefully concealed from view, and the presentation took place, at the hands of Mr. Hart, whose address we append:—

REV. DR. BODWELL:

In the good Providence of God we are convened here to-night to enjoy and cultivate the friendship which we bear toward each other—"friendship," that high, virtuous and pure quality of mind and heart vouchsafed to us by the benevolent Creator; also, to cultivate and seal that peculiarly sacred friendship which exists between the faithful Pastor and his flock. Happy is that servant of Christ, who, while faithfully performing his duty within his own denominational sphere, secures to himself "friends sympathetic, ardent and true," from other denominational forms and creeds.

We welcome here to-night, as *your* friends, men and women of whom we feel justly proud, as standing high upon the lists of respectability, moral worth and good citizenship. Is it needful that we assure you that your mission to this people, and your sojourn in this town, has not been in vain?

We would say, in the fear of God, that, by His blessing, the influences exerted by you in pulpit labors, in our public schools, in your walk and conversation, and in your daily deportment, will last long after all of these assembled friends shall have been gathered to their fathers. We shall feel deep sorrow and loneliness in the house of God, when we listen to the truth delivered by strange lips and an unfamiliar voice, and our eyes are turned to behold the absence of the "Pastor's household;" but then we will rejoice that the "Master" has other work for you, and that He has ordered you to a higher grade of workmanship, to perform which it was necessary that you should sojourn in "Arabia," or Woburn, for a season, to receive such baptismal touches of experience as were never yours before.

And now as the time is at hand when our Pastor, friend and citizen, goes from among us, and is to call Woburn no longer his home, we desire him to accept this beautiful service of plate, as the free, willing testimonial of our affectionate regard and esteem. Take it, Sir, and bear it to your new home, and as often as your eyes shall rest upon its polished surface, let it be a cherished and comforting remembrancer of the regard of your friends in Woburn, which shall last until the friendships of earth shall be no more.

Mr. Bodwell was deeply moved at this renewed expression of the kindness of his friends in Woburn, and replied to the address of presentation in his usual happy manner. He said:—

Your very kind words, my good friend, have stirred so many thoughts and feelings in my breast, that if I should attempt to give utterance to them all, it would take longer time than those present would care to listen. May I not say that in the circumstances connected with my bidding you farewell, there is matter for mutual congratulation? To me it is a very pleasant thought, that my departure does not excite your pity, on the one hand, as for a forlorn yet unavoidable movement, nor your displeasure on the other hand, as though I had ungratefully turned my back on friends so kind and generous and steadfast as I shall leave behind.

You know full well that I am not going away from Woburn to escape from difficulties. My whole life has been a conflict with difficulties. I have never yet made a surrender or beat a retreat, and I am too old to begin. So far as that matter is concerned, I would have rejoiced exceedingly to spend my life among you, apprehending in it a strong reason, as I verily believe, for my continuance rather than departure. I go in obedience to the call of the Master, as I judge, and you have generously yielded to the decision.

It is no small alleviation of my sorrow that I leave you not weak and despondING, but full of an unusual strength and courage, and hope. I see every thing in your present condition and prospects to gladden my heart. Long years of harmony and peace and prosperity, as I verily believe, are before you. If my poor labors have contributed in any measure to this, let me be grateful to the Divine mercy.

I remember well the strange desolation of heart with which I walked your streets on my first coming among you, four years ago, feeling that I was a stranger, and that I had left behind whatever of consideration and influence a residence of ten years in Framingham had gained for me, and must begin again. That I have found the way so soon to the generous confidence, not only of my own beloved flock, but of the general community, has been to me a most unfeigned surprise. To this generous confidence I owe it, in great measure, that my labors, in various directions, have been so fruitful in pleasant experiences, that sunny memories of Woburn will remain with me to the end of my days.

I am glad to see here, among others not members of my own flock, my friends John Cummings, Jr. Esq., and Stephen Nichols, Esq., with whom I have had so much happy intercourse in our mutual labors, as members of the Superintending School Committee. I shared the misgiving of my own flock when my fellow citizens first conferred this honor on me; but when I sought, in town meeting, to relieve myself from the responsibility for the sake of my parish, my friend, John Cummings, reminded me that the most important portion of my flock was in the public schools of Woburn. He spoke wisely, and I have remembered his words many times since.

But I am forgetting your very rich and elegant present. What shall I say? Accept the warmest thanks of Mrs. Bodwell, myself and the family. This beautiful service of plate will often remind us of the warm-hearted friends we have known and loved so well, and of many pleasant scenes we have shared with them, and will be treasured as a precious heirloom. That all your acts of kindness may return into your own bosoms, and that God may bless you and your children continually and evermore, is our most sincere and heart-felt prayer.

After the presentation, the guests were invited to partake of refreshments, under which the lengthy tables fairly groaned. Wit, humor and sentiment presided at the board, and thus a most pleasant and profitable evening was past. The company retired at quite a late hour, pleased and delighted with the entertainment.

MASONIC.—The annual visit of the District Deputy Grand Master, S. O. Dearborn, of Melrose, and his suite, was made to Mount Horeb Lodge, Woburn, on Wednesday evening last. After a careful examination of the doings of the Lodge for the year past, and witnessing specimens of the work performed, the Grand Master expressed himself much pleased with the high state of efficiency which prevailed in the Lodge, and paid a most deserved tribute to T. G. Davis, W. M., and the officers generally.

At the close of the exercises, the members, together with the District Deputy Grand Master, his suite, and numerous representatives from neighboring Lodges, repaired to Central House Hall, where a splendid supper, prepared by the well known caterer, O. R. Still, was partaken of. After ample justice had been done to the inner man, numerous speeches were made, and the evening was passed in a social and delightful manner.

A valuable addition has just been made to the furniture of the Lodge, in a New American Organ, from the establishment of S. D. & H. W. Smith, of Boston. It was made expressly for the Lodge, and is a very superior instrument in every respect.

Rev. Mr. Hepworth, of Boston, will occupy the Unitarian pulpit to-morrow. His subject for the morning will be, "White Garments." For the afternoon, "The Promise of adequate Strength."

The washing machine manufactured by C. H. Edmands, of Lynn, is one of the best we have seen in use. It is easily worked, will not injure the clothes, and does its work in half the ordinary time. Every family should have one. Mr. Edmands has left many on trial in this town and vicinity, and all who have used them have purchased one of them. We refer the reader to our advertising columns for a notice of this valuable machine.

READING NURSERY. Mr. Manning, proprietor of the Reading (Mass) Nursery, has just issued his new catalogue of apple and pear trees, grape vines, strawberries, flowers, &c. which includes many rare and valuable varieties. He has a fine assortment of grape vines, including all the new kinds: and all the best varieties of strawberries. Mr. Manning's collection of fruit trees, hardy flowering plants, roses, &c. are well worth the attention of horticulturists and gardiners. His grounds are only 12 miles from Boston, and border on the Boston and Maine railroad at Reading.

ELECTIONS.—The election in this State resulted in the return of the Republican candidates for Governor, Lt. Governor, &c., and the Legislature is almost wholly Republican. A full Republican delegation was elected to Congress.

New York re-elected Gov. Fenton, Rep., by a small majority.

New Jersey has also gone Republican.

Maryland has given her vote to sustain the administration of President Johnson.

The Western States—Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan—all exhibit increased Republican majorities.

Missouri is said to have cast a Republican vote, with a gain of a member of Congress.

The Old Farmer's Almanac, for 1867, is for sale at the Woburn Bookstore.

MY WIFE.

I saw her there so fair and bright,
So beautiful and good;
I met her there by the fading light,
Just by the leafy wood.

I gently pressed her hand in mine,
And said, "my wife you sure will be;"
Her answer, "yes," so softly came,
'Twas hardly wafted up to me.

I clasped her to my beating heart,
With a joyous, bounding thrill;
Again she said "your wife I'll be—
I surely, surely will."

I kissed her on those ruby lips,
I kissed her on each cheek,
I held her closely to my breast,
For joy I could not speak.

And now, though years have passed away
Since I met her by the wood,
I love her still with all my heart,
She's e'er so loving, true and good.

Thus may our lives, entwined, run on
Through earthly weal and woe;
Like two rivers into one, as
Onward to the sea they flow. ATHOS.

The Great Miltonian Tableaux of Paradise Lost.—From all we have heard and read of this exhibition, which opens at Lyceum Hall, on Thursday evening next, we judge it will take our citizens by storm. In fact we predict a greater rush to witness this work of art than to anything that has yet been brought to our town. The press, the clergy and the people everywhere, pronounce it to be one of the finest exhibitions ever witnessed, and almost divine in its character, illustrating, as it does, the grandest subject in the world—Milton's great poem of Paradise Lost—and carrying out his idea of Heaven, Hell, Chaos and Paradise. It will remain with us but one evening, and none of our citizens should fail to see it.

WOBURN LOCALS.

CAUCUS.—The Republicans of Woburn assembled in the Town Hall, last Saturday evening, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative for the 22d Middlesex District. E. F. Wyer, Esq., of the town committee, called the meeting to order. M. M. Tidd, Esq., was chosen moderator, and C. K. Conn, clerk. On motion it was voted to open a marking list for an informal ballot for candidate, and a list of twelve names was nominated at large to be marked for. The following result of the marking was announced by the moderator:

Whole number,	87
J. G. Pollard had	49
E. D. Hayden had	22
Alvah Cotton had	4
S. W. Abbott had	3
J. W. McDonald had	4
E. E. Thompson had	3
Nathan Wyman had	2

On Motion of E. D. Hayden, Esq., the vote to proceed to a formal ballot for a candidate was rescinded, and Mr. Pollard was unanimously chosen by acclamation. The usual number of vote distributors and rallying committee were chosen, after which the meeting adjourned to meet at the polls Tuesday morning. The meeting was very large and harmonious.

—The caucus of the National Union and Democratic parties, for the nomination of a candidate for town representative, was held in Lower Lyceum Hall, on Monday evening. A. Roundy, Esq., called the meeting to order, and it was organized in the choice of Mr. Wm. M. Miller, chairman, and Josiah Hovey, secretary. On motion a marking list was opened, which resulted in the unanimous nomination of Maj. Ambrose Bancroft. The following resolution was then adopted:

Resolved, That, sympathising heartily as we do with the movement in favor of the just protection of *labor*, and also for the equalization of bounties to our soldiers, we hereby ratify the nomination already made by a meeting of citizens, without distinction of party, favorable to the above mentioned objects, of our esteemed fellow citizen, Major Ambrose Bancroft, and adopt him as our candidate for representative, and we pledge ourselves to make an earnest effort to secure his election.

A rallying committee of twenty were chosen, and the officers of the caucus were instructed to announce to the meeting in the upper hall, the result, after which the caucus was dissolved.

RALLY.—The friends of the eight-hour movement, etc., assembled in Lyceum Hall, last Monday evening, to ratify the nomination of Maj. A. Bancroft. Speeches were made by Messrs. Coffin and Ham, of Boston, and a series of resolutions were adopted. The report of the committee from the National Union and Democratic caucus, was received with applause. Maj. Bancroft being called for, took the stand, and in a few words defined his position. His remarks were frequently interrupted with applause, and at their close the meeting was dissolved.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Last Monday afternoon Thomas Salmon, of this town, jumped from a train, just above the Winchester depot on the B. & L. R. R., and his foot catching in the fender, he was thrown violently against a post, tearing his scalp for several inches in length on the left side of the head, and otherwise injuring him. It is almost wonderful how he escaped with his life.

ACCIDENT.—As two ladies were getting out of the cars at the Horn Pond station on the Woburn Branch, last Tuesday afternoon, the train was suddenly started, and both of them were thrown into the ditch by the side of the track. One of them was picked up in an insensible condition, and was found to be quite severely hurt.

NEW HOSE COMPANY.—A company has just been organized to take charge of the hose carriage of the new steam fire engine, in place of the one disbanded a short time since. The company consists of eighteen members, with the following officers:

Foreman—John B. Davis.
1st Assistant—H. W. Carter.
2d Assistant—A. Brigham.
Clerk—Fred. B. Ellis.

The new hose carriage is nearly completed, and is expected to arrive in town in a very short time. Tuesday afternoon the steamer was taken to the reservoir on Park street, for the sake of giving the company practice in handling the hose. The engine worked splendidly.

PERSONAL.—Mr. John B. Ham, one of the speakers who addressed the meeting in Lyceum Hall, Monday evening, and who announced himself as a candidate for representative, honors in Ward One, received 97 votes, out of the 1514 cast. Mr. Ham was a candidate for re-election.

SOCIAL GATHERING.—The friends of Joseph G. Pollard, Esq., representative elect from this District, to the number of about one hundred, called upon him at his residence, on Green street, Thursday evening. They were most cordially welcomed by Mr. Pollard, and after an hour spent in congratulations upon the result of the recent elections, friendly greetings, singing, &c., the company were invited into the spacious dining room, where two tables were spread with an elegant and bountiful supper, of which they were invited to partake without ceremony. We have rarely seen tables more tastefully arranged. After supper the company again gathered in the parlors, where short speeches were made by several of the gentlemen present, the speaking being interspersed with singing, led by Mr. William H. Clarke, and at a late hour the company separated, after giving three times three cheers for the "thrice elected representative from Woburn."

Mr. J. P. Tyler, of North Woburn, on returning home on Tuesday evening, at quite a late hour, came suddenly upon a thief who had entered his premises and just gathered into his arms the principal portion of the clothes from a large washing. The man made an attempt to escape with the clothes, but finding it impossible to do so, he dropped them and made his escape.

ASSAULT.—On Tuesday, George W. Davis, of Winchester, was before the police court, charged with assaulting W. T. Adams, and fined $5 and costs. It seems that Adams and two companions were on their way home, and just below the depot were overtaken by Davis, who stepped on their heels. One of the party called him a common nick-name, which Davis resented by knocking two of them down.

STATE ELECTION.—The annual election, which came off on Tuesday, was remarkably quiet and orderly. In fact, there was less loud talk around the steps of the Town Hall than for a number of years, notwithstanding the best efforts of the friends of both candidates were used to swell the vote. There were some earnest and pointed "explanations" between opposing vote distributors, and in several instances, words "more earnest than elegant" were exchanged, but in the main the best of good feeling prevailed. The following is the result of the balloting, as announced by the Town Clerk:

STATE TICKET.

For Governor—Alexander H. Bullock,		495
" " Theo. H. Sweetser,		249
For Lieut. Gov.—Wm. Claflin,		500
" " Horace C. Lee,		249

[The vote on the other members of the State government was relatively the same as above.]

B. F. Ham, for Clerk of Courts, and Leanord Huntress, County Commissioner, received nearly the unanimous vote, 773.

The vote for Representative to Congress, for 6th District, was as follows:

Nathaniel P. Banks,	487
Frederic O. Prince,	249
For Senator, 6th Middlesex District:	
George P. Elliot,	496
Stephen Nichols,	249

The main interest of the day was in the choice of Representative to the next General court. The following is the result:

Whole number of ballots,	773
Joseph G. Pollard,	413
Ambrose Bancroft,	351
Scattering,	7

—For the benefit of the public, and to settle some controversy in relation to the vote for town representative in times past, we give a recapitulation of the vote since 1860:

1860	Franklin Smith,	561	
	Seth Reed,	489	
	Smith's plurality,		72
1861	John R. Kimball,	320	
	L. G. Richardson,	285	
	Kimball's plurality,		35
1862	George H. Conn,	419	
	L. G. Richardson,	394	
	Conn's plurality,		25
1863	C. S. Converse,	377	
	C. T. Lang,	215	
	Converse's plurality,		162
1864	Joseph G. Pollard,	610	
	John Cummings, Jr.,	346	
	Pollard's plurality,		264
1865	Joseph G. Pollard,	308	
	John P. Crane,	166	
	Pollard's plurality,		142
1866	Joseph G. Pollard,	413	
	Ambrose Bancroft,	353	
	Pollard's plurality,		60

TOWN MEETING.—Tuesday afternoon, at two o'clock, the citizens of Woburn assembled in Town Hall for the transaction of the following items of town business:

On Art. 1—Chose J. Cummings, Jr., moderator.

On Art. 2—The list of Jurors presented by the Selectmen was amended and accepted.

On Art. 3—*Voted*, That the town gratefully accept the bequest of the late Sewell Flagg, whereby he bequeathed the sum of five thousand dollars for the enlargement of the Woburn Cemetery.

Voted, That the Selectmen take charge of the bequest of the late Sewell Flagg, and purchase land for the enlargement of the Cemetery, and select from land so purchased a lot, which shall meet the approval of the executor of his will, for the interment of said Flagg.

On Art. 4—A verbal report was made on the soldiers' monument, and accepted.

On Art. 5—(in relation to soldiers' monument), *Voted* That the matter be referred to the Selectmen, with instructions to report some definite plan, and probable cost of carrying it out, at a future meeting.

On Art. 6—(in relation to the Woburn Cemetery), voted to refer to the Selectmen.

On Art. 7—voted to accept the report of the Selectmen on the road petitioned for by Joshua Stoddard and others.

—Last Thursday was observed by the Baptist church in this town as a day of fasting and prayer. Prayer and conference meetings were held in the church, morning and afternoon, at the usual hour for service on the Sabbath, which were of a very interesting character.

THE WEATHER.—The weather this week has been such as leaves no doubt that winter is fast drawing upon us. On Monday morning some of the small pools of water in this neighborhood were covered with a thin coating of ice.

LUKE R. BOUT.

European dispatches state that the Queen of Spain has offered a residence at Granada to the Pope, and Spanish vessels of war are placed at his command in case of necessity.

A despatch from Washington says that a letter received by Minister Romero, from Vera Cruz, states that Maximilian, on the 23d ult., resigned verbally in favor of General Bazaine, and, with 800 Austrians, set out by an indirect route for Vera Cruz. It is stated that the captain of the Austrian frigate will sail the moment Maximilian arrives. Gen. Castelnau soon afterwards reached Mexico, and assumed the control of affairs.

In a recent speech Lord Grey said that during the "strike" in the blast furnaces of England the sum of £50,000 in wages was lost, and that among those connected with the rolling mills, who are still on a strike, about £1,000,000 in wages had already been lost.

The Sandusky (O) Register says that the apple crop on the Reserve is probably larger than that of any previous season for many years. The inland towns are shipping off thousands of barrels. Ottawa, Seneca, Ashland, Lorain, and a score of counties are sending to New York, Chicago and other places large quantities.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AMERICA.—Advices from Rio Janeiro to the 10th of October, by way of London on the 5th inst., state that there was a great battle at Curupaity, Paraguay, on the 22d ult. The gunboats engaged the fort there, and the allied storming columns, amid showers of musketry and grape, nobly took the first line, but failed at the second, and retired with a loss of nearly 5000 men. Several gunboats were disabled in the fight. Flores had gone back to Montevidio with the rest of the army. There was great excitement. Operations are suspended for the present.

The White House is being greatly improved and ornamented within. A small regiment of workmen are daily engaged in the lower rooms in painting, gilding, papering, and removing soiled drapery, which is soon to be replaced by rich and tasteful importations from Europe, an agent being there for the purpose of selecting the goods. These highly necessary improvements will probably not be completed before December 1.

WINCHESTER.

SOCIAL ASSEMBLY.—The first social assembly of the season came off last Wednesday evening, in Lyceum Hall, and was well attended, and a very pleasant affair. Hall's Quadrille Band furnished music, which was of an excellent quality. By invitation of Geo. W. Spurr, Esq., the musicians at a late hour in the evening, visited his residence, and were entertained in that hospitable manner for which this gentleman is proverbial. A special train at 1 1-2 o'clock the next morning, run into the city, for the accommodation of the music and that portion of the company belonging to East Cambridge and Boston.

STATE ELECTION.—The election day passed off very quietly, and an entire absence of the usual amount of excitement. The vote for the principal officers was as follows, viz:

For Governor—Bullock, 201, Sweetser, 57; For Representative to Congress—Banks, 185, Prince, 57, Gooch, 1; State Senator—Elliot, 200, Nichols, 57; Representative to General Court—Potter, 169, Stanton, 104.

TOWN MEETING.—A town meeting was held at 2, P.M., on Tuesday at which the following business was transacted:—William Everett, Esq., was chosen moderator.

The list of Jurors prepared by the Selectmen was accepted and adopted.

Authority was given to the Treasurer to renew certain notes of the town, which come due within a short time.

This closed the business of the town meeting, which continued for about ten minutes.

TELEGRAPH.—The work of laying telegraph wires to connect Woburn & Stoneham with Boston and elsewhere, was commenced this week, and the residents of these places will soon be favored with this speedy method of communication.

RENTING OF PEWS.—The choice of seats in Lyceum Hall, now occupied by the Unitarian society, as a place of worship, was put at public auction, on Tuesday evening last. A large company were present, and the bidding was quite spirited. The first choice was knocked off to Wm. Everett, Esq., for $75.; the second, third, fourth, fifth, seventh, and eight, to H. B. Metcalf, C. P. Curtis, E. Hamlin, F. W. Perry, C. J. Bishop, and E. Shattuck, respectively, for $40 premium; the sixth to Paul Adams, Jr., for $45 premium—twenty-three others were bid off at premiums ranging from $30 to $5. The whole amount of premiums was $722. Several other seats were taken without any premiums, so that at the close of the evening, nearly every seat was taken, and certainly every eligible one. The rental of the seats taken already, amounts to $2,100 and over.

This new arrangement commences the first Sunday in December.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. Mr. Hinckley, the pastor of the Baptist society, has decided not to withdraw his letter of resignation.

—At the Unitarian church last Sunday in place of the usual sermon, the rite of baptism was performed, and the Lord's supper partaken of, with services appropriate to these sacred observances. The front of the pulpit was decorated with evergreen, and this and the communion table ornamented with choice flowers. Some twelve children received the holy waters of baptism upon their youthful heads, and all present remained while the sacrament of the supper was administered to those who desired it. A large number of strangers were present among the audience in addition to the usual worshipers, and the occasion was a peculiarly interesting one, filling the mind with those sacred thoughts and pleasing associations which these rites naturally suggest.

Rev. Rufus Ellis, of Boston, will officiate in the Unitarian pulpit to-morrow morning.

MASONIC.—A delegation of the Wm. Parkman visited Mt. Horeb last Wednesday evening, and were received and entertained in that hospitable manner for which the brethren in that locality are so well known to the fraternity.

—The D. D. G. M., of the 11th Masonic District, will make his annual visitation to Wm. Parkman Lodge, with his suite, at the regular communication, on Tuesday evening next. EXCELSIOR.

MITIGATION OF MR. DAVIS'S IMPRISONMENT.—The parole granted Jefferson Davis some months ago, giving him the privilege of the Fortress during the day, has been extended, through Executive clemency in removing all surveillance over him, and the guards from his rooms in Carroll Hall at night. Instructions to this effect have been sent to General Burton, commandant at the fort, thus divesting his imprisonment of anything like severity, and paving the way, as is generally presumed, for final parole and release. All the guards over him, both during day and night, being removed, he now enjoys every possible means of comfort and pleasure while held a prisoner in the fort. It is said he has expressed great gratification at this action of the government, and already contemplates vacating Carroll Hall, and taking up his residence with Mrs. Davis in the apartments assigned her shortly after her arrival at Fortress Monroe.

Read what the editor of the Cincinnati Times says of Allen's Lung Balsam:

A REMARKABLE CURE.—Mr. Samuel Lewis, one of the old Pioneers of Cincinnati, was very long, apparently, in the last stages of Consumption, and given up by physicians, when some kind friend recommended him to Allen's Lung Balsam. He did so, and immediately commenced recovering and is now able to attend to business. He says: "In truth I may say it has saved my life." Mr. Lewis is well known in Cincinnati, and the fullest confidence may be placed in his statements. It is due, therefore to the community, especially those suffering under this terrible malady, that the fullest publicity be given to such marvelous cures, that other sufferers may avail themselves of the remedy. With pleasure, therefore, we refer to this cure.

From our knowledge of the merits of this excellent Balsam, and what we hear of its merits, we think it should at once be used by all persons suffering from a cough, or any pulmonary complaint. We hear that many far advanced in consumption, have been cured by its use.

W. N. H. A.—The regular lecture before the Natural History Association was not given this week, owing to an accident to the train in which Mr. Putnam came to Boston. He will lecture as usual next Tuesday evening.

MR. EDITOR:—The elections are over, and "My Policy" seems not to be the policy of the people of the states. The constitution, which the President, in swinging around the circle, so often committed to their care, is safe. It will be preserved. In this State, the "liquor interest" made strenuous efforts to elect persons favorable to the licensed sale of intoxicating drinks; but that "policy" is unpopular all around the circle. Extraordinary efforts were put forth in this, (the 23d) District, money was freely spent, and whiskey was abundantly provided, to secure the election of an individual who, but for the money and whiskey, would not probably have polled a dozen votes. To the credit of the district he was signally rebuked; yet, to our shame be it said, he received more than five hundred votes. Our regularly nominated candidate, however, Mr. J. Botume, of Stoneham, was elected by a majority of about three hundred votes. Our other candidate, Col. J. F. Mansfield, of this town, was elected by a nearly unanimous vote, as he was on the bolters' ticket as well as the Republican.

In the evening of election day, the friends of Mr. Botume, to the number of five hundred at least, repaired to his elegant mansion at Wyoming, to congratulate him and rejoice with him in his success. He was, emphatically, *at home*. The exterior of his residence was illuminated by a beautiful display of brilliant lamps, by hundreds of lanterns suspended over the entrance to his grounds, and on the evergreen trees upon the lawn, while a continued blaze of rockets lighted up the sky. Within, were refreshments, in varied and luxurious abundance, to gratify the taste, and the "feast of reason and the flow of soul" to entertain the mind. Music, also, from the Band, and lively songs, added new pleasures to the cheerful hour.

Hon. D. W. Gooch officiated as president of the evening, and made an appropriate, witty and eloquent address. He was succeeded, in a brief yet suitable response, by Mr. Botume, and animated speeches from Farmer Allen, Paul H. Sweetser, and T. Winship, of S. Reading; Rev. Mr. Skinner and Lieut. Lynde, of Stoneham; G. O. Carpenter, of Boston; G. W. Copeland, of Malden; Col. Bogle and Mr. Noyes, of Melrose, and others.

It was gratifying to see present several persons of note, who, until that day, had voted with the Democratic party. "My Policy" was the allopathic dose that cured them of their political disease.

REPUBLICAN.

South Reading, Nov. 8, 1866.

Queen Victoria is gradually resuming the public habits which marked her course of life before the death of the Prince Consort. A few days ago she made her first speech in public since that melancholy event.

THE LIBERATION OF VENICE.—Accounts from Europe state that great preparations are being made to celebrate the entry of the King of Italy into that city. The Bucentaure, the historic galley upon which the Doges of Venice married the Adriatic, has been reconstructed and magnificently ornamented. The King will be conducted to the Ducal Palace along the Grand Canal, traversing Venice in its greatest length. Among the patriotic manifestations that will take place is one that is calculated to produce the most profound sensation. One of the most beautiful women of Venice, entirely clothed in mourning and covered with chains, will be presented to His Majesty at the moment of his coming in sight of the city, but, in place of the keys of the city, the Podesta will offer to the King a symbolic axe, destined to strike off the chains of Slavery. At the same instant the shakles of the captive and her mournful vestments will disappear at the sound of salvos of artillery and of popular acclamation. Venice, personified, transformed into a Goddess of Liberty, will then present to the King the traditional cushion, upon which will be found a golden key.

There was recently described in a paper read before the Royal Society of London a microscope which exceeds what has been considered the utmost attainable limit of perfection in this instrument. It magnifies three thousand diameters with its lowest eye-piece, and fifteen diameters with its highest, so that an object is made to appear one billion five hundred and seventy-five million times larger than it really is.

INSPIRED ELOQUENCE. In one of the most populous of the western towns of the Commonwealth, resided two Orthodox deacons; one Deacon Biddie, a wealthy resident of the principal village, the other Deacon Crawfoot, a plain farmer and living in the outskirts upon the mountain side. During a protracted meeting held in the village, Deacon Crawfoot came in to tend it, and received and accepted an invitation to dine with his brother deacon. The latter (it was a good many years ago) had champagne upon his table, and asked Deacon Crawfoot to take a glass of the wine.

"No:" said Deacon C.; "I never take wine."

"But," urged his entertainer, "this is as harmless as cider, and no more intoxiting."

"Well," said he, "if that be the case I will drink of it." And he did drink, and drank freely. The dinner ended, the brethern returned to the meeting which was a conference. Very soon after entering, Deacon Crawfoot, who evidently felt the inspiration of his generous dinner, started to his feet, and addrssed his brethern as follows: "It seems to me, brethern, that I never had such spiritual views and emotions as I experience now. And I thought it best to inquire whether these are confined to myself; or whether this may not be indeed a pentacostal season. Why, brethern, I never had such spiritual views and emotions. It seems as if I was setting astride of the roof of this our consecrated temple, the organ swelling beneath me, the bells pealing above me, and every shingle on the meeting-'us playing on a jewsharp!"

As an indication of the immense trade to the mining regions this season it is stated by the late Montana papers that, during the two months following the 18th of May last, thirty-three boats arrived at Fort Benton, carrying no less than 6,000 tons of freight, valued at over $6,000,000. The freight upon these goods alone amounted to $2,000,000.

The Mississippi Legislature has passed a bill appropriating $30,000 to supply wooden legs to maimed soldiers.

COINAGE OF A. D. 29.—Old Hebrew coins, struck at Jerusalem during the governorship of Pontius Pilate, in the 16th year of the reign of Tiberius, or the year 29 of the Christian Era, have been found on the sloping side of Mt. Moriah over the valley of Jehosaphat. These coins are of copper, and bear the legend "of Tiberius Cæsar, year 16," and on the reverse, "Julia, mother of Cæsar." These coins, which are of copper, and of the size of an American dime were of course handled by men who saw and knew the face of Christ. The editor of the New York *Journal of Commerce* has one of these unique pieces in his possession, which he found himself. The identical coin may have touched the hand of Peter, or been in the bag of Judas, or bought food for the disciples of their Master.

William North was once asked by the editor of a paper with which he was connected, to write a leading article opposing the temperance movement, which was then making a great stir in New York. "Write me a good one, and I will give you twenty dollars for it," said the editor. "How long do you wish it?" inquired North. "As short as you can make it," was the reply. North sat down and immediately wrote as follows: —"We would rather see the whole world drunk of their own accord than one man sober on compulsion." The twenty dollars were immediately handed over, and the paragraph published as a leader.

The Boston Traveler has accounts of the gold mines in New England. At the principal mine in Lisbon, N. H., gold was found in 1865. The mine is now worked by a company having a capital of $240,000. They expect to make money. Another company has a capital of $200,000. The yield of these mines is from $20,000 to $13,000 per ton of gold. Another company is operating for silver at Warren, N. H.

A physician, passing a stone mason's shop called out: "Good morning, Mr. D——; hard at work I see. You finish your grave stones as far as 'In the memory of,' and then wait, I suppose, to see who wants a monument next?" "Why,' yes," replied the old man, "unless somebody's sick, and you are doctering them, then I keep on."

Married

In Chelsea, Vermont, Oct. 25th, by Rev. J. A. Sherburn, Mr. B. T. H. Porter, of Woburn, Mass., to Miss Mary Annette, daughter of Solomon Allen, Esq., of East Brookfield, Vermont.

In Winchester, Oct. 25th, by Rev. H. Hinckley, Henry S. Brookings, of Winchester, to Henrietta S. Coville, of Boston.

Wood at Auction!

THURSDAY, Nov. 15th, 1866, at 12 o'clock, M., I will be sold at auction, in lots, the Wood standing on 12 acres of land, in Stoneham, situated on Forest and North Streets, near the residences of Elbridge Thorpe and Thaddeus Richardson, and the place formerly owned by James Mackintire. Said wood consists of Oak, Walnut and Pine, of superior quality, and of 30 years' growth. Also, Cedar Trees, suitable for Posts. The said lot is accessible at all seasons of the year.

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Stoneham, Nov. 10, 1866. 1t*

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At Auction.

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Woburn, Nov. 10, 1866. 2t

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A full assortment of all the most popular

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Constantly on hand. Our stock of

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50 Acres of Wood & Timber, OF 80 YEARS' GROWTH, AT AUCTION.

On Monday, Nov. 12th, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., will be sold at auction, in lots, that well known lot of Wood and Timber, situated in North Woburn, called the "Stag Rock Lot." Said wood consists of a large growth of Oak, Maple, Pitch and White Pine, and cannot be excelled by any lot of wood in this section of the State, for quantity and quality per acre. The location is excellent, and is accessible at all seasons of the year. It borders on the street leading from the residence of Charles Eames, Esq., to the Chemical Works, in North Woburn, at the Boston & Lowell Railroad, is within forty rods of said road, and one mile from Den. Stephen Richardson's Saw Mill.

This sale offers the best opportunity to Wheelwrights and other persons desirous of purchasing Oak, Pitch and White Pine Timber, suitable for sawing and other purposes, that has been offered to the public, at auction, in this vicinity for years.

☞ There is on said lot a large amount of Oak Timber Trees, suitable for KNEES, for Ship Builders' use.

This sale is worthy of the public notice, for it is no exaggeration to say that this is the LARGEST AND BEST growth of wood and timber that there is now standing in this section of the State.

COME ALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES!

By order of GEO. R. BALDWIN.
WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.

P. S.—If stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour.
Woburn, Oct. 27, 1866.—2t

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GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

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S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.
oct 6—3m

STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

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FISH MARKET.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of

FRESH AND SALT FISH,

OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,

and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.

All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage.

JAMES A. YOUNG.
Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

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We have enlarged our New Store opposite the Boston Museum, by adding the basement; rendering it still more commodious for the goods, which we are offering at reduced prices.

In the Basement.

Quilts, Blankets, Cottons, Linens, Diapers, Towels, Crashes, Flannels, Plaid Cambrics, Brilliants, Book and Swiss Muslins, Linen Handkerchiefs, Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Balmorals, &c.

On the First Floor.

Every variety Fine French *Flowers, Feathers, Roses, &c.*, every new style Ladies' and Children's Straw and Felt *Bonnets, Hats, Turbans, Frames, Bonnet Ribbons, Velvets, &c.*, at very low prices. Also, all kinds *Embroideries, Lace Goods, Linen Collars, Lace Veils, Umbrellas and Sun Shades.*

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contains a full assortment of every thing wanted, *Ready-made.*

All Goods warranted perfect; if found imperfect, the money will be refunded.

Store 45 and 47 Tremont Street,

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Nearly opposite the Museum. Also at our old stand, OPPOSITE THE TREMONT HOUSE.

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AUTUMN, 1866.

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He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.

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of all kinds, and of the best qualities, constantly on hand.

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Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, st am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, st, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7-22, 8.30, a.m, 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9.46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05 7.40, 9.00, 10.24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.15, 6.35, 8.30, p. m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8.28 p. m.

*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2.15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.20, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.

†Wednesdays at 10.15 p. m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham ‡ at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5.52, and 7.52, 8.52, 10.15, A M, 1.00, 4.52, and 6.30, P M.

‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

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STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

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Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

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SPARROW HORTON,
AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.
nov3

MRS. TODD

TAKES this opportunity of informing the ladies of Woburn that she is prepared to COLOR, CLEAN AND DO UP

Old Straw Hats & Bonnets,

at her residence, Lowell street. Also, DRESS MAKING done at short notice.

Any work or orders left with Mrs. LOCKERBY, Watchmaker, will be promptly attended to.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.—4t

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DROP TRIMMINGS, BEAD GIMPS, CHENILLE FRINGES.

One Case Colored Velvet Ribbons,

in choice shades, at very low prices.

CROCHET, VELVET AND JET BUTTONS;

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New styles, in great variety.

CORSETS! CORSETS!

Our regular make of German Corsets gives universal satisfaction, and our prices are extremely low.

We shall open on MONDAY, October 22, one case

NEW SLIPPER PATTERNS,

among which may be found some of the richest designs ever offered in this market

GLOVES, HOSERY, UNDER-CLOTHING,

FOR LADIES, GENTLEMEN & CHILDREN,

in great variety, and selected expressly for our retail trade.

We invite particular attention to our COTTON and WOOL RIBBED HOSE, for Ladies and Misses, they being of superior quality, and manufactured expressly for us.

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And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

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This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

sept29—1y

A HUMBUG.

HOW OFTEN WE HEAR THIS EXPRESSION from persons reading advertisements of Patent Medicines, and in nine cases out of ten they may be right. It is over 19 years since I introduced my medicine, the VENETIAN LINIMENT, to the public. I had no money to advertise it, so I left it for sale with a few druggists and storekeepers through a small section of the country, many taking it with great reluctance; but I told them to let any one have it, and if it did not do all I stated on my pamphlet, no one need pay for it. In some stores two or three bottles were taken on trial by persons present. I was, by my, thought crazy, and that would be the last they would see of me. But I knew my medicine was no humbug. In about two months I began to receive orders for more Liniment, some calling it my valuable Liniment, who had refused to sign a receipt when I left it at their store. Now my sales are millions of bottles yearly, and all for cash. I warrant it superior to any other medicine for the cure of Croup, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Vomiting, Spasms, and Sea sickness, as an internal remedy. It is perfectly innocent to take internally, see oath accompanying each bottle,—and externally for Chronic Rhumatism, Headache, Mumps, Frosted Feet, Bruises, Sprains, Old Sores, Swellings, Sore Throats, &c., &c. Sold by all the Druggists. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

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FRUIT TREES

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SMALL FRUITS, ROSES, SHRUBS, PLANTS AND

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An extensive, complete, first class stock, offered in quantities as desired, at low prices. Sample lots shown at Cellar 28 Water street. Catalogues now ready. B. T. WELLS & CO.,

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The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from *whatever cause*. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

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Boston, June 30—1y

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jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

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To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,

dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing

JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

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Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,596,282.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN MCGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, Ass't Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

LEARNARD & HARTLEY,

Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture, AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also, WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT THE—

OLD STAND,

136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,

oct 13—3m BOSTON.

NEW

Fall & Winter Goods.

CHANDLER & CO.

have received, and are now opening at their NEW STORE,

Nos. 27 & 29 Winter Street,

BOSTON,

THEIR IMPORTATION OF

FALL & WINTER GOODS,

comprising an EXTENSIVE and ELEGANT stock of the following articles:—

FRENCH CASHMERE SHAWLS.
INDIA CASHMERE SHAWLS.
WOOLEN SHAWLS, new styles.
CHENILLE SHAWLS, new styles.
CLOAKS.
CLOTHS for WINTER GARMENTS.
BLACK SILKS, superior makes.
FANCY SILKS, new and beautiful colors.
FRENCH MERINCS.
FRENCH REPS.
PRINTED M. DELAINES.
PLAIN M. DELAINES.
FRENCH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
IRISH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
FRENCH PRINTS.
ENGLISH PRINTS.
ARTICLES for MOURNING.
EMBROIDERIES.
HOSIERY and GLOVES.

Also a complete stock of

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,

consisting of

Cottons, Linens, Linen Damasks, Damask Table-Cloths and Napkins Blankets and Quilts.

All of which will be offered at the lowest market prices, at

Wholesale and Retail.

oct 27—1m

MY POLICY,

To give any customer a good THIBET DRESS, for $1 a yard.

A good pair of CASHMERE HOSE, for 25 cents.

A good pair of All Wool BLANKETS for $5 to $10

All Wool Twilled FLANNEL for 37 1-2 c pr yd.

PRINTS, fast colors, for 15 cts. per yard.

LADIES' GARMENTS, from $5 to $20.

KID GLOVES, from 75 cts. to $1.25 a pair.

Fine lot of CHENILLE SHAWLS cheap.

S. H. LIBBY,

42 Hanover, near Court Street, Boston.

oct 27—1m

HEADQUARTERS FOR

FIGS

IN DWARF PACKAGES.

J. F. CONANT & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Fruit Dealers. FIGS in ¼, ½, ¾ and 1 lb. round and oval boxes CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

50 & 51 Chatham Street.....Boston.

J. F. CONANT, F. P. CONANT, H. GREEN.

oct 27—3m

WHEELER & WILSON'S

LOCK STITCH

Sewing Machines!

HAVE TAKEN THE

Highest Premiums

At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machine, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.

Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind.

For FAMILY SEWING.
For TAILORING.
For DRESS MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.
For SKIRT MAKING.
For CLOAK MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.

IN FACT,

For every king of Practical Sewing,

WHEELER & WILSON'S

IS THE ONLY ONE IN USE.

H. C. HAYDEN,

AGENT,

Office, 228 Washington St.,

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXPECTING in a little time to remove to Washington street, we offer our entire stock, consisting of elegant

DRAWING ROOM,
LIBRARY,
DINING ROOM
AND CHAMBER

Furniture!

Comprising as good and well selected stock as can be found in Boston, which we will sell at a LARGE DISCOUNT FROM REGULAR PRICES.

Purchasers will find it for their interest to visit our Warerooms, in the spacious Hall over the Passenger Depot of the Boston and Maine Rrilroad, Haymarket Square.

☞ Particular attention given in packing goods to go out of the city, and WITHOUT CHARGE TO THE PURCHASER.

BUCKLEY & BANCROFT,

Over the Passenger Depot, Haymarket Sqare.

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Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!

AND

FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,

WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to

CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.

oct13—6m

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AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions.

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

sept22—3m

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.





After suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

20 Years

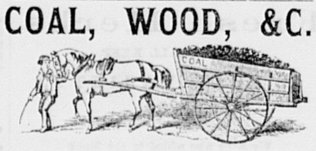
Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.

july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. Hetrusts, by giving strict attention te business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND,

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG

SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,

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For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.

sept29—3m

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Brice 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.

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SPARROW HORTON,

feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

Buy Your

FLOUR,

GRAIN

AND

Groceries

OF

Stearns,

Hart

& Co.

House and Land For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to

EDWARD W. BROOKS.

Woburn, Oct. 6th, 1866. 2t*

Flour,

FEED,

MEAL

AND

GRAIN,

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford.

By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW

GROCERY

STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

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PROF. FRANKS & SONS,

OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.

(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any peddlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 25, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

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DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY,

PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
Violin and Guitar Strings.

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

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ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors*. Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60*.

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

DR. S. STOCKING,

DENTAL SURGEON,

Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.

sept22—6m

Cards printed at this Office

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Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market

On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS, VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

IN THEIR SEASONS,

POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

AND

HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

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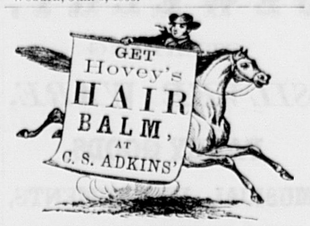
GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.



Anæsthesia.

Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.

COME AND GET YOUR TEETH EXTRACTED without pain, by the above anæsthetic, which is, thousands can testify who have tried it, a blessing to the age in which we live. Positively no pain at all, and can be administered, and Teeth extracted, and the patient go about his business in ten minutes' time. All other operations, such as filling and the Pathological treatment of the teeth, together with Artificial teeth of all kinds, done in the best manner and as soon as it can be done properly.

Call and see specimens at my office.

E. H. DANIELS,

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sept 1—3m

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, Jr.

Woburn, March 17, 1866.

REASONS WHY THE

American Watch

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IS THE BEST.

It is made on the best principle. Its frame is composed of SOLID PLATES. NO jar can interfere with the harmony of its working and no sudden shock can damage its machinery. Every piece is made and finished by machinery (itself famous for its novelty, as well as for its effectiveness) and is therefore properly made. The watch is what all mechanism should be—ACCURATE, SIMPLE, STRONG AND ECONOMICAL. Except some high grades, too costly for general use, foreign watches are chiefly made by women and boys. Such watches are composed of several hundred pieces, screwed and rivited together, and require constant repairs to keep them in any kind of order. All persons who have carried "ancres" "lepines" and "English Patent Levers," are perfectly well aware of the truth of this statement.

At the beginning of our enterprise more than ten years ago, it was our first object to make a thoroughly good low priced watch for the million, to take the place of these foreign impositions; the refuse of foreign factories, which were entirely unsalable at home and perfectly worthless everywhere.

How well we have accomplished this, may be understood from the fact that after so many years of public trial, we now make MORE THAN HALF OF ALL THE WATCHES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES, and that no others have ever given such universal satisfaction. With this department of our business continued with increased facilities for perfect work, we are at present engaged in the manufacture of watches of the very HIGHEST GRADE KNOWN TO CHRONOMETRY, unequaled by anything hitherto made by ourselves, and unsurpassed by anything made in the world. For this purpose we have the amplest facilities. We have erected an addition to our main building expressly for this branch of our business, and have filled it with the best workmen in our service. New machines and appliances have been constructed which perform their work with consummate delicacy and exactness. The choicest and most approved materials only are used, and we challenge comparison between this grade of our work and the finest imported chronometers. We do not pretend to sell our watches for LESS MONEY than foreign watches, but we do assert without fear of contradiction that for the SAME MONEY our product is incomparably superior. All our watches of whatever grade, are fully warranted, and this warrantee is good at all times against us or our agents in all parts of the world.

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AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY,

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PLATED WARE, Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

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$1,500 PER YEAR! We want agents everywhere to sell our IMPROVED $20 Sewing Machines. Three new kinds. Under and upper feed. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than $40, which are *fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Batchelder.* All cheap machines are *infringements* and the *seller* or *user* are *liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment.* Circulars *free.* Address, or call upon Shaw & Clark, Biddeford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. dec30—1y

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SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

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No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.

Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,

WOBURN CENTER,

Edward K. Willoughby.

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Walnut, near Main Street.

Jobbing promptly attended to, and on reasonable terms.

Woburn, July 14th, 1866. 4m*

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for

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june23—1y

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.

feb3—1y

F. L. GERALD,

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MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Splents, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

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ALBUMS,

STEREOSCOPES WITH FINE VIEWS!

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Fancy Goods and Children's Toys,

in great variety.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Paper Hangings & Curtains,

Of the latest styles, &c., &c., at the

LOWEST CASH PRICES.

The people of Woburn and vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

SPARROW HORTON.

Woburn Bookstore.

Woburn, Feb. 17, 1866.—tf

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DEALERS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

86 North St., Boston.

E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.

aug25—6m

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

PERSON'S ORIGINAL

WEATHER STRIP DEPOT,

151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151

Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

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DOES THE SOIL NEED REST?—Our fathers in Agriculture quite generally held the opinion that Summer fallowing greatly benefitted the soil by the rest which it gave. If the land lay utterly idle through all the season of growth, should it not recuperate its power of production? They believed it would. And this opinion prevails to some extent at the present time among farmers.

But absolute rest obviously adds nothing to the soil; no food for plants descends from the air above or rises from the subsoil below. No favorable chemical action is known to be induced by exposing a naked soil a long time to the elements; on the contrary, it may be apprehended that the washing of the rain, the parching of the sun, the evaporation of the atmosphere, removes some of the volatile substances which are found in a fertile soil. Rest does not impart fertility to the sands of the desert, nor are arable soils in a state of nature where they are increasing in fertility, ever permitted to be destitute of vegetable covering.

The soil then does not need rest—it requires cultivation. By cultivation we mean here those physical changes which may be made. It wants deep and thorough working so that the roots of plants can reach every particle of soil; it needs draining to draw off the stagnant water which is poison to the roots of our cereals and cultivated grasses. Deep, though frequent pulverisation of the soil, though it adds nothing to the amount of plant food, will, by making it all available to the crops, cause the land to be productive. Then, except during the brief period of this thorough working, the soil should be productive, for it is by the sole agency of what grows upon it that the farmer can hope to increase the amount of plant food in his land.

But is not land constantly producing crops, whither of grain or grass, exhausting itself? Yes, if those crops are removed from the soil and no remuneration made therefor; but if the whole produce of the ground is returned to it the amount of plant food is increased. The soil becomes richer for the reason that the substance of the plant was only partly derived from the soil, but largely from the atmosphere, and when the soil receives again what it gave, through the decomposition of the plant, it has in addition all that was drawn from other sources. This is the reason why the ploughing under of clover or other green crops for manure enriches the soil. The crops have drawn only part of their fertilizing components from the soil—they have gathered from the air likewise—and it is precisely this which increases the previous richness of the soil. And if all the manure which crops will make by passing through the animal system be returned to the soil, its fertility will doubtless be maintained; enough will be returned to replace the ashconstituents of the plant which alone were derived from the earth.

We conclude, then, that the soil does not rest to render it fertile. It needs cultivation and cropping. Not reckless, wasteful, unmethodical farming, but that so planed and executed as to grow large and varied crops, and dispose of them in such manner as to return the extracted elements of fertility to the soil.—*Rural New Yorker.*

Women are more like flowers than we think. In their dress and adornments they express their nature, as the flowers do in their petals and colors. Some never look or feel better than when dressed in a morning wrapper. Others are not themselves unless they flame out in gorgeous dyes like the tulip or blushrose. Who has not seen women just like white lilies? We know several double marigolds and poppies. There are women fit only for velvets, like the dahlias; others are graceful and airy, like azaleas. Now and then you see hollyhocks and sunflowers. When women are free to dress as they like, uncontrolled by others, and not limited by circumstances, they do not fail to express their true character, and dress becomes a form of expression very genuine and useful.

THE PROFITS OF LITERATURE IN ENGLAND.—A London letter in the Chicago Tribune maintains that this is the golden age of literary men as regards the prosperity of their private circumstances, and goes into the details as follows:

"As Charles Dickens himself made known the dispute with his wife, there is no harm in alluding to it, or in concluding from the fact that he allows her £500 a year, and that he keeps up both a town and country house on a scale of considerable expense, that his income is not less than £3000 or £4000 a year, probably yet more. His periodical, All the Year Round, produces him nearly half that sum, and his 'readings' in public are worth £500 a year. Mr. Dickens is generous and sympathetic—always ready with his purse in a good cause, and also with his influence. Mr. Trollope has a good income in a government office, to begin with. He keeps his hunters, and is splendidly mounted at the sport. He usually has a house full of company, though he works as hard as any man I know. He is in no danger of want, even though the American Congress adheres to its unfair and suicidal course.

Kingsley's professorship at Cambridge though it appears to have taken every drop of manliness out of him, has at least supplied him with a competent income and added considerably to the means which his church-living already supplied. Of friend Tupper what shall be said? He is immensely proud of the popularity of his works in America, and invariably recurs to it in talking of the contemptuous treatment he meets with from critics at home, and on a beautiful estate in Surry thanks his stars that if the censors are against him, he can thrust a hundred editions in their faces. Alfred Tennyson, had he no pension, would still be a rich man. The author of 'Ten Thousand a Year' uminatinates in the opulence of a highly-paid judicial office for which he has only party recommendations. Miss Evans has but to lift up her finger and half the publishers in London would run to bid a preposterous figure for her literary favors. Of the religious authors the McLeods, and Guthries, and Spurgeons, I can only say that theirs is the most prosperous calling of any, equalling even Mr. Boucicault's pay for new dramas, which is a bold statement to make. In a word, the poor author, who is at the same time deserving, can hardly be said to exist in England at the present time."

A PAWNEE WAR DANCE.—A correspondent who accompanies the Pacific Railroad excursion to Omaha, writes as follows:

The agent of the railroad company, by making sufficient inducements, had collected about forty Indians of the Pawnee tribe, five or six of whom were squaws. After a joyous supper, the excursionists proceeded to their encampment, half a mile distant, to witness a savage war dance. Collected around a blazing pile of faggots were about thirty-five redskins, in all costumes, from an opulent array of embroidery and eagle and turkey feathers to a mere breech-cloth and a collar of beads. Surrounded by a circle of eager excursionists, and to the music of rude tambours beaten by squaws to the whining melodies of their own voices, the braves struck up the war dance, their hideous implements of battle and murder in their hands, and held threateningly overhead. Cruel, very cruel, were their faces, and hateful the savage emphasis of their dance, which is rather a system of excited, angry and fiendishly significant sidelong stamps than a graceful exercise. Circling round the fire with brandished tomahawk and pistol, and uttering a sinister guttural to the barbaric cadence of the chant, they presented an impressive spectacle of how near a tawdry and heartless brute a man can be.

The tawny bodies of the Indians smoked in the keen, crisp air, and between the fitful red light of the fire and the pulseless brilliance of the moon, every mean expression on their faces was accented, every blood-thirsty gesture intensified, and their stature itself exaggerated. Now and then, with a concluding howl, they paused in the dance, and one or two would steal to a fire, and would seem to become human again as they despondently warmed themselves, and *coughed*. Then the squaws would resume their nasal ululation, and the fierce circle renew their crouching and swaying stamps, slowly swinging around their savage altar of flame. When, however, one drew near and studied them individually, the terrors of the war dance were mitigated. Their limbs lack muscular symmetry, their feet are small but shapeless, and their gait ungraceful.

The drums beaten by the squaws are shaped like kegs. They keep good time, but their melodies are barbaric to the last degree, and the only discernible syllables in the song are, "Hu ah hi hi hu ah hu," or "words to that effect." The dancers utter a wild gutteral at each stamp they make, and at intervals some of their number add to the hideous chorus the treble piping of bone whistles. There they were, nearly naked, while we surrounded them in overcoats and with pocketed hands, the air being exceedingly frosty.

HONEY ANT.—A Texas paper of a late date, speaking of the honey ant, says: "We have often heard of the 'honey ant' of Texas, but the account seemed so romantic, we have heretofore been hardly able to credit it, but as we now have a specimen before us, furnished by our friend Leo Smith, of this city, we can no longer have any doubts on the subject. The ants are a medium size between the large and small red ants, and are of a reddish and brown color. Appended to the rear of each one is a transparent sack or globe filled with pure, clear honey, of a most delicious flavor. These sacks vary in size on different ants—ranging between the size of a buckshot and a navy pistol ball. On this sack, at short intervals, are attached thin layers about the length and width of half a grain of rice, and of a dark color, evidently to strengthen it and keep it in shape. These interesting animals, when they crawl, draw their delicious load after them, and if the sack is empty, they set themselves to work to replenish it again. Whether they deposit this honey in their great general reservoir among the rocks, to draw from it as occasion may require, or hold and use it as individual property, we are not informed. Here is a curiosity that we believe has heretofore escaped the eyes and pens of our celebrated naturalists."

A good story is told of a rustic youth and a buxom country girl, who sat facing each other at a huskiag party. The youth, smitten with the charms of the beautiful maiden, only ventured a sly look, and now and then touching Patty's foot under the table. The girl determined to make the youth express what he appeared so warmly to feel, bore these advances a little while in silence, when she cried out, "Look here, if you love me why don't you say so; but don't dirty my stockings."

Parson Wilbur says: "When I see a certificate of character, with everybody's name to it, I regard it as a letter of introduction from the devil."

INDIAN FAMINE.—The Calcutta papers say the famine is great and wide spread, notwithstanding the efforts which are being made to stay it. In Calcutta a system of organized relief is said to be doing much good. Funds have been supplied by private charity to the extent of Rs. 171,000, and Europeans and natives are working energetically together to relieve the distress. Owing to the arrangements made, the fear which was prevalent of a great epidemic breaking out in the famine-stricken crowd of paupers in Calcutta is subsiding. The accounts from the distressed districts continue to be very painful. The following is an extract from a private letter from the district of Chumparun, regarding which the Board of Revenue had been furnishing the most favorable reports of improvement. "To the facts contained in this letter we may add (says The Englishman of Sept. 7) that an epidemic cholera is sweeping away the population of entire villages."

Famine daily becomes worse, and I might have said deaths more numerous. Coming in the other morning from Murkottah, I saw two dead bodies, within three hundred yards of the place, the dogs eating them leisurely, while vulturs looked on. Two miles on, at a village named Murpha, I saw part of a human body being devoured by two dogs; the flesh was quite red, and in fact bloody; the right hand was resting on the forehead, partly on the left side. I really do believe the dogs commenced their ghastly banquet while breath was in the body. At a bazaar named Poonagha I saw three dead bodies in one line—I should say father, mother and daughter; they appeared to have died within a few minutes of each other; they looked as if asleep. Little to the north of these I saw two more bodies. I did not examine them; their bare legs told their own tale. About half a mile further on, at a village named Soroul Sooltan, I saw another body, the vultures finishing what the dogs had left. From thence nothing more, except occasional bad smells.

New grain is coming in, but it will be of little help to the starving wretches; they have not the means of buying, consequently must live on charity. As the Budday crop in this district is very small in comparison to the Aughanee or paddy, ryots will have much difficulty in supporting their own families; besides, the Mahajun who advanced them grain will weigh off his share from the outturn, so that very little will be left for the ryots, so that the distress will be almost as bad as it is until the end of December. Should Government cease to assist the starving wretches, under the impression that the new crop will alleviate their sufferings, the result will be death to an unheard-of degree. If you have a voice in the matter, I hope you will advocate the relief to continue to the north of the district; to the south the Budday crops are heavy, and grain comparatively cheap.

The Needle-Gun and the Men who Used It.—The Paris Journal La France publishes some extracts from letters communicated to it by one of its subscribers "of German origin and residing at Strasburg," giving his impressions of a six weeks' visit to the theatre of the war in Germany. The writer disclaims all idea of following in the track of those who have described the military operations; he justly considers it would be superfluous after all that has been written by eye-witnesses. He merely desires to present a few observations suggested by his inspection of the ground, and particularly to mention what he heard from the lips of those who took an active part in the fighting, as to the real causes of the astonishing success of the Prussians.

"You know," he says, "all that has been said about the famous breech-loading needle-gun. It is undoubtedly an excellent weapon, but in make and accuracy of aim leaves much to be desired. I was talking one day with Prussian officers about the effects of this weapon, and, like many others, I attributed to it in great part the victories of their soldiers. I soon perceived, however, that my expressions of admiration produced an unpleasant effect on the nervous system of the heroes of Sddowa.

'You greatly exaggerate,' observed a colonel of infantry, 'the part which the weapon of our infantry played in this short campaign; and you attribute to the instrument itself what it would be more just to attribute to the instrumentalists. I know very well that from a good piano or a good fiddle sounds are extracted preferable to those one obtains from an ill-tuned piano or an ill-tuned fiddle, but still it is requisite that the person who puts his fingers on them must do so with skill and intelligence if he desires to obtain harmonious notes. Now, allow to explain to you how it comes to pass that the Prussian army plays so agreably on the little instrument which we call the needle-gun, and which, we believe, is far from being a perfect portable firearm.

Very many improvements, be persuaded, will have to be made in this instrument, but no improvements can be made in those who use it. You have no adequate notion of the pains we have taken in our regiments to teach our men to handle what your soldiers in France call the 'six-foot clarionet.' Shooting at targets, which, until very recently, your Generals and your regimental officers regarded as a mere accessory and of little moment, has been for many years in the Prussian army the object of continual practice and of the most serious study. In Prussia we have employed all means not only for carrying to perfection the instruments, the engines of war but to make the men capable of skilfully using what we put into their hands.

After these preliminaries my Prussian colonel described at length, and like a man well up in his subject, the mode by which the Prussian soldiers were brought to be perfectly familiar with their arm, and to obtain the best possible results from it; the numerous exercises, graduated in an intelligent manner, required from them; the prizes awarded to the best marksmen, and the care bestowed upon them. I will not repeat in detail the long and interesting conversation I had with him on that occasion; but I can assure you that I listened to him with intense interest, and that I was greatly struck with what he told me."

SOUND SENSE.—The following local from the Newburyport Herald has such a wide application, that we cannot refrain from publishing it:

Advertising is as much the life of ordinary trade as steam is the power to run a railroad train: Some prefer not to advertise, but to get along as their father did before the age of newspapers, and so go at their small pace, as some people in this age of railways prefer the old modes of travelling and ride on horseback or in wagons without springs. There was a remnant of the antedeluvian world in all its parts saved in the ark, and we suspect that the class we refer to are the original specimens that Noah collected. There are but few of them left in this place, and if matters progress as they promise to, the number will be less hereafter.

Last year our traders advertised more extensively than ever before; and they did more business than in any previous year. We think the trade of the city as a whole was full one-third larger than in 1864, and we have not heard of a person who advertised to any extent, that did not receive the full benefit of it. We have taken occasion to investigate this matter. The largest advertiser in this city, in a series of years, has had his trade increase every single month from the first. Never a month went back on his sales. The like results have generally attended advertising. A store on State street in 1865, made a trial of advertising and not advertising, and they gave us the returns which were as apparent as would be the effects on a farm where one year the land should be heavily dressed, and the next have no stimulants save what nature furnished in the atmosphere and the original soil.

In the Supreme Court of Connecticut there has been recently decided a curious case. A man and his wife having been killed by a railroad accident, the heirs of each brought suit and recovered $4,000 in each case. The money obtained for the wife went to her heirs, and the question before the Supreme Court was whether the 4,000 recovered by the death of the man should go to his or his wife's heirs. She having survived him a few hours, the court decided that the wife's heirs should have the money.

Astronomical observers will be interested to know that M. Foucault has discovered a method of diminishing the effect of the sun's rays on the focus of telescope lenses. By means of an extremely thin layer of silver placed on the object-glass, the sun can be observed without any injury to the sight. M. Foucault has communicated the particulars of his invention to the Paris Academy of Sciences.

According to reports made by the Chicago builders, over 8,000 new buildings have been erected during the past year, valued at nearly seven millions of dollars. This includes eight new churches, five public school houses, three public buildings, and over one hundred business blocks.

A negro toast—"De late Gub'nor of de State; he came in with little opposition—him go out with none at all."

The Montreal Witness publishes a map of the burnt district of Quebec, which shows that a space equal to twenty acres in length and nine in width was desolated. Fifty-five streets were burnt over.

MANUFACTURES.—Every day almost we hear of some new manufacturing enterprise being started in the South, and, what is more pleasing, Georgia is taking the lead of her sister States in this reorganization of industry. There has been, in fact, a sudden and energtic awakening to the importance of home manufactures to the people of this section, and it is no difficult matter to account for it. We are not justified in attributing it to any recent discovery, that this State, for instance, is peculiarly adapted to give success to such undertakings. The numerous and extraordinary facilities here presented, in climate and resources, have long been known. We must therefore, assign as a reason the revolution of the labor system, which, if it has not quickened the pulse of the intellectual classes, has created a desire as well as a necessity for a complete change in occupation, in order, either to better their conditions financially, or to escape from the surroundings, which under the political and social new era, have become distasteful. But whatever the cause or motive, the important fact that the energies of the people have been turned with a strong

tide in this direction is all we have or care to deal with. To us there could be nothing more encouraging for the future. It is an assurance most acceptable that while an inconsiderable number of the people are unprofitably engaged in playing the Sisyphus, and rolling a stone dead principle up the steps of the political situation—fretting and worrying themselves into premature graves because the fates will grant them no better success, the great majority, having a far better understanding of what is the true policy of the South, have turned their backs coldly upon politics, and are devoting their attention to industrial pursuits in which their freedom of action is unrestricted. We are moving at a rapid pace on the highway to manufacturing greatness; but our speed may be accelerated if we would in all cases examine closely the merits and defects which the experience of others has marked out. Want of capital is the greatest obstacle, and perhaps the lack of skillful mechanics is the next in order.—*Savannah Republican.*

The Middlesex Journal,

—AND—

WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

WOBURN:

SATURDAY, Nov. 17, 1866.

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THE RESTORATION OF VENICE.

At last Italy has received back her Venice. Austria, so long powerful and oppressive, has at length released her grasp, compelled to do so by the victories of Prussia, and the silent will of Napoleon; and the King of Italy has entered the city in triumph. No more joyous hour has Venice witnessed for many a year than on this occasion, and the magnificent pageant will long be remembered. The whole civilized world feels a thrill of pleasure at the restoration of Venice to Italian hands. Byron has well expressed the sympathy widely felt in all generous hearts in her enslavement by Austria, and some gifted bard should now sing the glory of her liberation.

The proud and ferocious Attila, when he invaded Italy, caused the Venetians to flee from the fallen cities of the continent, to seek an obscure shelter in the chain of islands that line the extremity of the Adriatic Gulf. Until the middle of the fifth century these remote and sequestered spots remained without cultivation, with few inhabitants, and almost without a name, but the fugitives carried their arts and government into these waste and watery places, and gradually coalesced into a republic, and with the sea for their patrimony, became famous for commerce and manufactures, manners and festivities, wealth and independence. The annual marriage ceremony of Venice with the Adriatic, so long celebrated with pomp and festivity, was a testimony that her prosperity was attributed to her junction with the sea. When Shakespeare was looking around for a commercial and ancient city as a place to locate his story, he selected Venice, and at the commencement of his play, Antonio is addressed:

"Your mind is tossing on the ocean;
There, where your argosies with portly sail,—
Like signiors and rich burghers on the flood,
Or, as it were the pageants of the sea,—
Do overpeer the petty traffickers
That curt'sy to them, to do them reverence,
As they fly by them with their woven wings."

Chicago, a large commercial city on lake Michigan, emerging from low marshes, may illustrate the feasibility of the enterprise that created Venice. But how long ago was this famous city of the Adriatic the mart of commerce, the port to which adventurous ships were directed:

"A thousand years their cloudy wings expand
Around me, and a dying glory smiles
O'er the far times, when many a subject land
Looked to the winged Lion's marble piles,
Where Venice sate in state, throned on her hundred isles!"

By the side of such an antiquity our commercial cities, New Orleans, New York, and Boston, are but of yesterday. And when freedom was unknown in almost all the earth, the republic of Venice made her flag respected on every sea then visited by her vessels.

What is to follow the restoration of Venice to Italian rule, we are not able to say as yet, but we may hope for a new spirit of enterprise. This city will not, of course, regain her once proud pre-eminence in all the earth, for other cities in new empires like our own, have started into being, and are engrossing much commerce. With the fate of Italy, now reassuming an undivided nationality, and now rising as on wings of inspiration, to soar, we trust, to a lofty height, is bound up much of the future destiny of Venice. A glorious future is apparently before her. All who reverence her fame in story, and all who mourn her sufferings under a foreign and tyrannical rule will be glad to do any thing to revive the former prosperity of the place, but the efforts of the people themselves must be put forth for this object, and they will be, and not without the most signal success.

Explorers, like Ruskin, will examine with care, and more extensively the records which old walls and edifices have preserved of the olden periods, and travelers making the tour of Europe will not fail to visit Venice; and the gondoliers who used to sing, in alternate stanzas, from Tasso's Jerusalem, the practice of which died with the city's independence, will again sing those strains. Americans will particularly love to visit a spot famed in the history of republics. S.

CHOICE CIGARS.—We have had the pleasure of smoking a very fine lot of cigars, a present from Stearns, Hart & Co. Their assortment is very large and choice.

Rev. Eli Fay, of this town, is supplying the pulpit of the Unitarian Church in Washington, D. C. This arrangement is for the current month.

The news from India respecting the famine grows worse and worse. Something like 2,000,000 persons have died from its effects on the shores of the Bay of Bengal.

WINCHESTER.

BRILLIANT WEDDING.—Quite a sensation was created in our quiet town this week by the announcement of the intended marriage of certain parties occupying important positions in the community. A general desire was expressed to obtain an invitation to the wedding, but the modesty of the parties would not allow of a public display, and so only a favored few were privileged to grace the ceremony, which took place at the residence of one of our clergymen, on Monday evening last. The bride and bridgroom were tastefully attired, but as we are not versed in the description of such matters, we will not attempt it. The hymenial knot was tied by the reverend gentleman in that happy manner for which he is well known, and the newly wedded pair received the congratulations of the company. The bride bore her blushing honors meekly, and the bridegroom maintained his new position with great dignity. After the ceremony the happy pair retired to the spacious mansion house of the bridegroom, where, without the formality of cards, they will be pleased to receive their numerous friends and welcome them to its hospitality. Under its appropriate head our readers will find the names of those who have thus united themselves together by the solemn marriage covenant.

SURPRISE PARTY.—The season of surprises has arrived, and the first occurred one evening last week, at the residence of S. M. Rice. The worthy family were agreeably surprised at this kindly manifestation of their numerous friends, and the occasion was a pleasant one to those concerned in it.

MASONIC.—The annual visitation of Wm. Parkman Lodge, by R. W., Sam'l O. Dearborn, D. G. M., for the 11th Masonic District, accompanied by his suite, took place last Tuesday evening. A large number of visiting brethren were present, and after the usual inspection of the work, the brethren repaired to the lower Lyceum Hall, where a bountiful collation provided by the brethren of Wm. Parkman Lodge, was partaken of. Afterwards, short and pithy speeches were made by several of the brethren, and the evening's work was well and satisfactorily performed, in the opinion of all present.

INQUIRY.—The inquiry is often made as to when the immortal Committee of fourteen, who have been setting so long, are going to hatch out the new school houses. It is suggested that their names should be inscribed upon a tablet to be placed in these buildings, to show to future generations the names of those who have devoted so much time in this labor of love, and that a sketch of their deliberations should be posted in the town archives to show the amount of wisdom evinced during their long and laborous sittings.

RELIGIOUS.— Rev. Mr. Hinckley, the pastor of the Baptist Society, has accepted an invitation to minister to the society in Groveland, in this State.

REMOVAL.—The last of the buildings bordering on the Abajora river at Baconville, has been removed, so that now a driveway will probably be made around the pond, and the view of the water from the railroad be unobstructed.

BASE BALL.—A match game of Base Ball was played here last Saturday, between the second nine of the Everett Base Ball Club of Winchester, and the Middlesex Base Ball Club; the Everett Club scoring 45 to 19.

EXCELSIOR.

CATECHISM FOR CHOIRS.—1. What is the object of a choir?

Ans. To lead the congregation in the worship of God.

2. How should the time of service be spent?

Ans. In attending to the exercises and the sermon, in the same manner by members of choirs as by other mortals.

3. What should be the rule with regard to attending rehearsals?

Ans. They should be attended promptly and faithfully, just as any other duty would be performed.

4. How should the leader of the choir be treated?

Ans. His suggestions should be carefully attended to, and his feelings treated with proper consideration.

5. What should be done in case there is any trouble about the choice of seats?

Ans. It is a point for the leader, and for him alone to decide.

6. How can your importance as a choir singer best be made manifest?

Ans. By simply showing a disposition to do all you can. By making a special effort to be present when the weather is unfavorable, or when, for any reason, the choir is likely to be less strong than usual.

7. Finally, what are the peculiar and ever-to-be-cherished privileges of choir singers?

Ans. To assist in one part of Divine Service, to encourage and sustain the minister by a spirit of sympathy and co-operation with him in his labors, to lead the hearts of the congregation heavenward, and to enjoy the pleasant satisfaction of faithfully performing a most important duty.—*N. Y. Musical Gazette.*

RICH JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS. F. B. Dodge, at his store on M in street, now offers the public a large and choice variety of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver Ware, Fancy Goods, Table Cutlery, etc. etc., comprising one of the best stocks ever exhibited in this market. Read his advertisement.

The South Calling for Yankee Laborers.—The Mobile Times, in an editorial article, thus calls for Northern laborers:—

"We ask Yankees particularly to come and we repeat it, we want no better men, when once their interests shall become wedded to us and to our soil. We tell the hardy lamberman of Maine to quit his frozen region, and, with his muscles of steel, to come and till a grateful soil, which returns a thousand fold the seed intrusted to it. Their prejudices will soon wear out, and so shall ours, by constant and daily friction."

The Georgia Legislature has rejected the Constitutional amendment.

At the Fort Pitt Works, on Wednesday morning, there was cast another monster naval gun. The gun was the third of the description and calibre ever cast. It is 20-inch bore, and is designed for the naval service on our iron-clad fleet. In the three furnaces used there were 140,000 pounds of the best Bloomfield or Juniata pig iron.

WOBURN LOCALS.

RELIGIOUS ITEMS.—Rev. Daniel W. Waldron, the young man who preached at the First Congregational church the third Sunday in October, will again occupy that pulpit next Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Townley, pastor of the Baptist church, occupied the pulpit at the 1st Congregational church last Sunday forenoon.

The notice that Rev. Mr. Hepworth, of Boston, would preach at the Unitarian church last Sunday, drew together a large congregation. Mr. Hepworth is a very popular preacher and lecturer.

The Sunday evening meetings at the Methodist church continne to be very interesting, and the church is generally filled with a large and attentive audience.

The Episcopalians, who, during the summer, worshiped in Lyceum Hall, have lately held their meetings in the Town Hall.

TELEGRAPH.—Telegraphic communication between Woburn and Boston has been opened. It will doubtless prove of great conveniance.

CENTENARY MEETING.—The Methodist church in this town held a "Centenary Meeting" on the 8th inst., which was largely attended. Rev. D. Dorchester, Presiding Elder of the Worcester District, and Rev. J. W. F. Barnes, of Lynn, addressed the meeting. Subscriptions to pay off the church debt, and the whole amount ($1,000) was readily obtained. Besides, this sum, $500 was subscribed to the "Biblical Institute," and $100 to the Sunday School fund, making the sum of $1,600 as the result of this meeting in Woburn.

RAIN.—Last Sunday night there was quite a severe rain storm.

—This week begins the second year of the "Locals." For the past twelve months we have each week striven to give what has occurred in town of local interest, and the same endeavor will be continued in the future.

MUSICAL.—But a few years ago the system of musical conventions in this country was new, untried, and there were many who doubted their feasibility or usefulness. Their popularity is now well established. It is safe to say that they have become a permanent institution among the various means of popular musical education, and they are doing a world of good. In them there is not only improvement in music, but in just the things to which it is the province of music to lead. The social feelings, for instance, are there developed as they can never, by any possibility, be brought by choir or more select instruction and association.

—Ole Bull, who was killed so neatly by the obituary writers a while ago, is coming to America with his fiddle.

PRACTICAL JOKE.—Monday evening two gentlemen, residents of Woburn, drove up to the Central House, and hitched their horse to one of the posts on the Main street sidewalk. While they were absent a young man of their acquaintance stepped into the team and drove it home. Soon after, the owner of the team came out, and finding it gone, came to the conclusion that it had been stolen. A fast horse was immediately procured from Jones' stable, and off they started for Boston. Arrived there they informed the police of the supposed theft, gave them a description of the missing team, inserted an advertisement in one of the daily papers, and then started for home. On their way home they were met by a man with the stolen (!) property, sent out by the anxious wives to hunt up the wanderers. They reached home about two o'clock Tuesday morning. Outsiders seem to think it was a pretty rich joke, but somehow they cannot see the point.

THANKSGIVING.—The day set apart by proclamation of the President, and afterwards by the Governors of the several States, as a day of public thanksgiving and praise, will approach nearer to a national festival than any thing of the kind in years past; and as the people of the land assemble in their several places of worship and review the past year, seeking out the many and varied occasions for thanksgiving to the giver of all good, for the manner in which He has blessed us as a people, may we not hope that a kindlier feeling will pervade all hearts. Of late years this annual thanksgiving has been to the people of the Old Bay State much more a day of feasting than a day of praise. While we would not remove a single "gobler" from the festal board, nor check one source of healthful enjoyment to old or young, might not more of the spirit of praise and thankfulness which actuated the founders of the day, when

"The sounding aisles of the dim woods rang,
With their songs of lofty cheer,"

be ours as we gather in our places of worship and around our tables, and lead us devoutly to acknowledge that "every good and perfect gift cometh from the Lord."

ANNUAL BALL.—Jacob Webster Engine Company, No. 2, of North Woburn, will hold their thirteenth annual party in Webster Hall, on Friday evening, Nov. 30th. These annual assemblies have always been well attended, and the managers have been "ever ready" to make them pleasant and agreeable to all who favor them with their presence. The party this year will be fully up to any of its predecessors.

DEATH.—Mr. William C. Stowers, of this town, died at the residence of his father, last Friday evening, of consumption, after a long and painful illness. Mr. Stowers was a printer, having learned his trade in the office of the *Middlesex Journal*, which office he left, in 1864, to enlist in Co. K, 39th Mass. Vols. He served with honor to himself until the close of the war, and received an honorable discharge. He was buried from the Baptist church Friday afternoon, members of Co. K, and other returned soldiers forming an escort.

SCHOOLS.—All the public schools in town will close next week, for the customary vacation at Thanksgiving. The scholars will enjoy about a week of rest.

BREAKING AND ENTERING. — The grocery store of Mr. R. Smith, on Main street, was forcibly entered, last Wednesday night. Entrance was effected through a side door, opening into the passage way leading to the rear of the hotel. As only a few cigars and what change there happened to be in the money drawer was taken, it is thought it was the work of boys.

IMPROVEMENTS.—The weather of the past two months has been unusually favorable for out door painting, and a large number of buildings in our midst are rejoicing in new coats.

The estate of John Tidd & Sons, on Main street, has been undergoing thorough repairs.

AUCTIONS.—Mr. Wm. Winn and Mr. S. F. Thompson have been selling some large lots of standing wood lately, most of which has brought high prices.

LUKE R. BOUT.

The Royal Standard of Grand Turk, relates a thrilling incident of the hurricane which lately swept over Turks Islands:

Mr. Walter Arthur, whose family was at the Hawk's Nest, attempted, during a lull in the gale, after the destruction of his dwelling, to reach town, a distance of two miles, with his wife and five children. During the struggle he succeeded in depositing three of his children in a house in the suburbs, where over sixty persons had sought shelter.

Afterward, when about a hundred yards from the house, and while on the ground, his knees embedded in the earth to enable him to sustain his wife and two children — hundreds of dangerous missiles at the same time flying over his head, either one of which would have been fatal in its effects had it struck the crouching group—the house where he had left his children was taken up by the wind, freighted with its humanity, and carried over a wall without touching a stone, and dashed almost to pieces. He could not make the slightest exertion to look after those children, as it was a terrible struggle to prevent his wife and the other children from being swept away and killed. The children escaped with their lives, however, though others in the house were killed.

Mr. F. C. Hall, now in the Arctic regions, it is reported by the captain and crew of a lost whaling ship, lately arrived in St. Johns, has made further discoveries of relics which belonged to Sir John Franklin. He has a gold watch and some silver spoons said to have belonged to Capt. Franklin, and hopes to gain other relics.

THE FINEST SPEECH EVER MADE. The Westminister Review pronounces Abraham Lincoln's Gettysburg speech the finest that ever fell from human lips. In view of this fact, and that it is even more pertinent now than it ever was, we need make no apology for republishing it, especially as it takes but little space. We give it below:

Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth upon this continent a new nation, conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal. Now we are engaged in a great civil war, testing whether that nation, or any nation so conceived or dedicated, can long endure. We are met on a great battle-field of that war. We are met to dedicate a portion of it as the final resting-place of those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this.

But in a large sense we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here have concentrated it far above our power to add or detract. The world will little note nor long remember what we say here, but it will never forget what they DID here. It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated to the great task remaining before us—that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to the cause for which they here gave the full measure of devotion—that we here highly resolve that the dead shall not have died in vain—that the nation shall, under God, have a new birth of freedom, and that the Government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from the earth.

SURPRISING.—It is actually surprising how soon our people have learned to prize that invaluable article known as Coe's Dyspepsia Cure. It certainly acts like magic, for it will cure the very worst cases of dyspepsia and enable the patient, who has lived for years upon Graham bread and the plainest food, to eat anything he choose without fear of distress. It is considered the most valuable remedy known for all diseases of the stomach and bowels.

TWO DARK THINGS.—Uncle Bill Tidd was a drover from Worcester County. Being exposed to all weathers, his complexion suffered some, but at the best he was none of the whitest. Stopping at a public house near Brighton, a man rich in this world's goods, but of notoriously bad character, thought as Uncle Bill came in he would make him the butt of a joke. As the black face of the weather-beaten man appeared in the doorway, he exclaimed, "Mercy on us, how dark it grows!" Uncle Bill, surveying him from head to foot, coolly answered, "Yes, sir; your character and my complexion are enough to darken any room."

CHILD-CULTURE.—As our own defects escape our observation, we look into our neighbors' families, and see that the chief cause of the failure in discipline is that discipline was not begun early enough. The child was beyond the reach of parental influence before parents suspected that their authority was slipping away—indeed almost before they began to exercise a wholesome moral restraint. A child learns much in his first years, and among the lessons he learns soonest is this, that he can lead and manage his parents if he will persevere; that he has only to kick, and cry, and tease long and hard enough to gain any object he may desire; and as they love to be led and managed, his task is not very difficult. His incipient selfishness is confirmed with their consent, sometimes with their approbation. They encourage his persistency, put a premium upon his refractoriness, pamper his willfulness, and make a little despot of him sometimes before he begins to talk. Every hour in which his pleasant tyranny is applauded helps to establish its dominion, and to make moral discipline impossible. Then, when they find restraint necessary, they discover that they have a difficult task, and either resort to force or abandon the undertaking because of its difficulty. What might once have been easy now seems impossible. The horse has taken the bit between his teeth and defies his rider. One of the hardest things for parents to learn is that the work of moral training must be commenced in the very infancy of the child; that they must be careful not to nourish dispositions and habits which will render moral government and influences impossible.

"A FINE OLD SCOTCH GIRL."—In Washington Irving's account of his visit to Sir Walter Scott, at Abbotsford, there is honorable mention of a maiden lady, the daughter of a poor country clergyman, who had died much in debt and left her an orphan and destitute. She set up a child's school, and her first care was to pay off her father's debts—"That no ill word or ill might rest upon his memory;" and by dint of economy and subjecting herself to every privation, she accomplished her pious object. Not content with this, she in certain instances refused to take pay for the tuition of the children of some of her neighbors who had befriended her father in his need. "She's a fine old Scotch girl," said Scott, "and I delight in her more than in many a fine lady I have known, and I have known many of the finest." It may be interesting to see what the "fine old Scotch girl" thought of her illustrious friend and eulogist. Fourteen years after the date of the above conversation, the lady in question (still an old maid), writing to Scott's friend, Mr. William Laidlaw, has the following really beautiful piece of criticism, which is copied from the original letter: "When you mention Sir Walter my heart warms. He is the ornament of our country, the most extraordinary man that ever lived. I have a deep feeling of gratitude towards him. First, he enabled me to live my youth over again by his pictures of our native glens. Next, he has cheered many a dull hour; when wearied and worn out with trifles and vexations, I have refreshed myself with a few of his pages. Lastly, I stand indebted, not only individually, but as one of the many on whom he has conferred a similar benefit; he has, with a master's hand, laid low the whole hoard of sentimental trash which drew so many tears from youthful eyes, and sent into the world so many heroines prepared for anything rather than the realities of life and its domestic duties. The young naturally seek for entertainment in books, and he has provided it of the most attractive kind, free from all that can either vitiate or weaken the mind."

A CURIOUS INCIDENT.—The following curious and interesting statement is from the pen of Rev. J. H. McCarty, who is writing a series of articles for the *Ladies' Repository*, on Roger Williams, the founder of the State of Rhode Island:

Ninety years after his death, in 1771, steps were taken to erect to him some suitable monument, but the storms of the revolution came on, and the work was forgotten. But recently the question has been agitated anew, and Williams may yet at least have some outward sign to mark his greatness and perpetuate his name. During a period of 183 years not even a rough stone has been set up to mark the grave of the founder of Rhode Island, till the precise locality of his grave has been almost forgotten, and could only be ascertained by the most careful investigation. Suffice it to say, however, the spot was found, and the exhumation made a short time ago, though there was little to exhume. On scraping off the turf from the surface of the ground, the dim outlines of seven graves, contained within less than one square rod, revealed the burial ground of Roger Williams. In colonial times each family had its own burial ground, which was usually near the family residence. Three of these seven graves were those of children; the remaining four were adults. The easterly grave was identified as that of Mr. Williams. On digging down into the "charnel house," it was found that every thing had passed into oblivion. The shapes of the coffins could only be traced by a black line of carbonaceous matter the thickness of the edges of the size of the coffins, with their ends distinctly defined. The rusted remains of the hinges and nails, with a few fragments of wood and a single round knot, was all that could be gathered from his grave. In the grave of his wife there was not a trace of any thing save a single lock of braided hair which had survived the lapse of more than 180 years. Near the grave stood a venerable apple tree, when and by whom planted is not known. This tree had sent two of its main roots into the graves of Mr. and Mrs. Williams. The larger root had pushed its way through the earth till it reached the precise spot occupied by the skull of Roger Williams. There making a turn, as if going round the skull, it followed the direction of the backbone to the hips. Here it divided into two branches, sending one along each leg to the heel, where they both turned upward to the toes. One of these roots formed a slight crook at the knee, which made the whole bear a very close resemblance to a human form. The singular root is preserved with great care, not only as an illustration of a great principal in vegetation, but for its great historic association. There were the graves, emptied of every partical of human dust! Not a trace of anything was left! It is known to chemistry that all flesh, and the gluttinous matter giving consistency to the bones are resolved into carbonic acid gas, water and air, while the solid lime dust usually remains. But in this case even the phosphate of lime of the bones of both graves was all gone! There stood the "guilty apple tree," as was said at the time, caught in the very act of "robbing the grave." To explain the phenomenon is not the design of this article. Such an explanation could be given, and many other similar cases adduced. But this fact must be admitted; the organic matter of Roger Williams had been transmitted into the apple tree; it had passed into the woody fibre and was capable of propelling a steam engine; it had bloomed in the apple blossoms, and had become pleasant to the eye; and more, it had gone into the fruit from year to year, so that the question might be asked, who ate Roger Williams?

Several horses have died in Illinois lately from the effects of bites of grasshoppers. The horses take them into their mouths in grazing when the grasshoppers bite their tongues and make them so sore that they will not eat, and so they starve to death.

The number of British regulars in Canada amounts to 14,000 men, which is larger than has been seen in the provinces since 1814.

The total number of deaths from cholera in Philadelphia, reported at the Board of Health office, for the week ending on Saturday last, was nineteen.

At the Middle Park, Colorado Territory, about forty inches of snow have already fallen.

A SMILE.—A beautiful smile is to the female countenance what the sunbeam is to the landscape. It embellishes an inferior face, and redeems an ugly one. A smile, however, should not become habitual, — insipidity is the result; nor should the mouth break into a smile on one side, the other remaining passive and unmoved, for this imparts an air of deceit and grotesqueness to the face. A disagreeable smile distorts the line of beauty, and is more repulsive than a frown. There are many kinds of smiles, each having a distinct character—some announce goodness and sweetness—others betray sarcasm, bitterness and pride—some soften the countenance by their languishing tenderness—others brighten it by brilliant and spiritual vitality. Gazing and pouting before a mirror cannot aid in acquiring beautiful smiles half so well as to turn the gaze inward, to watch that the heart keeps unsullied from the reflection of evil and illumined and beautified by sweet thoughts.

KEEPING FOWLS.—The Woonsocket Patriot says:—Mr. Albert C. Vase, near Manville, pursues what seems to us a reasonable and profitable course in keeping fowls. He has enclosed an acre and a quater of land with a high fence; and in this enclosure he keeps about a hundred and fifty hens. He informs us that during nine months of the year these fowls give a net profit of two dollars per day, or say five hundred dollars per year. Is not this keeping fowls to some purpose? In Mr. Vase's enclosure is a running stream and fruit trees. The trees afford shade, while their fruit-bearing is improved by the fowls.

WHAT FOR BREAKFAST.—The idea of breakfast, in fact, should be cold solids and bread flavored with prepared meat, and within these limits it is possible, as Mr. Bentley's book shows, to secure an almost endless variety, and to compose a breakfast almost as carefully as a dinner. With three or four alternatives—say ham, cold chicken, potted fish, brawn, sardines, and perhaps mushrooms alone hot, the joint cold, tea, coffee, and cocoa—the last injuriously neglected, owing chiefly to an idea current among cooks that it can be made with water, whereas water should never go near it—even an Englishman may rise to his opportunities, and perceive that though the primary idea of breakfast must always be the vulgar one of food, still due dignity may by art be secured to its position among meals. If the alternative seem too many they can be reduced without injury to the great principle, and a slice of the joint, an egg, a little potted meat or anchvoy paste will yield a breakfast sufficient to secure the last of the requisites we intend to suggest. This is the capacity for eating a considerable meal. There is no time at which the average Englishman really needs a good supply of food so much as at breakfast. At dinner he is exhausted with the day, and wants succulent things and soups, and above all wine-food which gets into the blood quickly, yet which will not destroy his evenings by sending him to sleep. But at breakfast he has not eaten for fourteen hours, and if he shares the antipathy we have expressed to lunch, will not eat again for nine more, and he has really to find fuel for the whole of his most active existence. He wants, or ought to want, a large meal, and we believe great breakfast-eaters are invariably healthy men. Their frames are never exhausted, or tempted to prey on themselves, and make the nerves do the duty of the tissues, like the bodies of those who consider it sound hygiene to fritter away an appetite on tea and toast. —*Spectator.*

THE LOVED NOT LOST.

BY JOHN G. WHITTIER.

"How strange it seems with so much gone
Of life and love, to still live on!
Ah, brother, only I and thou
Are left of that bright circle now,—
The dear home faces whereupon
That fitful firelight paled and shone,
Henceforward, listen as we will,
The voices of that hearth are still;
Look where we may, the wide earth o'er,
Those lighted faces shine no more.
We tread the paths their feet have worn,
We sit beneath their orchard trees,
We hear, like them, the hum of bees
And rustle of the bladed corn;
We turn the pages that they read,
Their written words we linger o'er,
But in the sun they cast no shade,
No voice is heard, no sign is made,
No step is on the conscious floor!
Yet love will dream, and faith will trust,
Since he who knows our need is just,
That somehow somewhere meet we must.
Alas, for him who never sees
The stars shine through his cypress trees!
Who, hopeless, lays his dead away,
Nor looks to see the breaking day
Across the mournful marble play!
Who hath not learned in hours of faith,
The truth to flesh and sense unknown,
That Life is ever Lord of Death,
And love can never lose its own!

WHO ROB ORCHARDS?—In a certain village of the Far West was an atheist. He was a great admirer of Dale Owen and Fanny Wright; but he could see no beauty in the Christian religion. Of course, he never entered any place of worship. In fruit season he was specially busy on the Sabbath in defending his orchard from his great enemies, the wood-pecker, and the idle, profligate persons of the village, who on that day usually made sad havoc among his apples and peaches.

One day, while at work with his son-in-law—an atheist like himself, although a more kind and courteous gentleman—as a pastor of a congregation was passing, he, very rudely, thus accosted the minister:

"Sir what is the use of your preaching? What good do you do by it? Why don't you teach these fellows better morals? Why don't you tell them something about stealing, in your sermons, and keep them from robing my orchard?"

To this the minister pleasantly replied: "My dear sir, I am sorry that you are so annoyed, and I would most willingly read the fellows who rob your orchard a lecture on thieving, but the truth is, they are so like you and the Major here, that I never get a chance."

"Good, good," replied the Major, laughing, on which the elder atheist blushed a little, and, in an apologetical tone, said: "Well, well, I believe it is true enough, it is not the church-going people that steal my apples."

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GREAT MEN IN CLUSTERS.—The remark of a writer the other day on this subject, in reference to Scotland, might be extended to other countries, including our own. He says, in glancing backward over the last century and a half of Scottish history, it will be noticed that the distinguished men have come in clusters, and that the intellectual products are visible in well-defined belts of zones. There, as elsewhere, nature built capacious brains, and when her hand was in, it was her habit to build more than one, and so the clever Scotchman of a generation have a family resemblance. Also, Hume, Robertson, and Adam Smith came together, and all through these we have the philosophical historical belt. Scott and Galt created the imaginative belt. Jeffery, Wilson, and Lockhart the critical belt. In any enumeration of eminent Scotchmen the name of Burns cannot be omitted: but then Burns has no place in any such lower generalizations. In his greatness he is the loneliest of all the northern geniuses. He had, strictly speaking, no predecessor; he had no companion; he had no successor.

Married

In Winchester, Nov. 12th, by Rev. R. T. Robinson, Mr. Paul Middleton to Annie Johnson, both of Winchester. [No cards.]

In Winchester, Nov. 13th, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. R. T. Robinson, Mr. Henry A. Emerson to Miss Sarah E., daughter of Edmund Sanderson, all of Winchester.

In Cambridge, Oct. 30th, by Dr. N. Brown Cooke, Mr. George W. Linscott of Woburn, to Miss Susie C. Meldrum, of Cambridge.

Died

In Woburn, Nov. 10th, Robert Ames, aged 84 yrs. 7 months, 6 days.

In Woburn, Nov. 13th, John McCarthy, aged 85 years, 8 months.

In Woburn, Nov. 13th, William C. Stowers, aged 21 years, 7 months.

In Woburn, Nov. 14th, Sarah M. Richardson, aged 22 years, 10 months, 24 days.

THE POOR MAN'S JEWELS.

My home, it is a poor one
To all who pass it by;
They cannot see its beauty,
And neither, faith, can I-
That is, in paint or timber,
In doorway, or in roof;
But that it has its beauties,
I'll quickly give ye proof.

Come hither, young ones, hither,
Your father's steps are near—
That's Bet, with hair so yellow,
That's Sue, with eyes so clear;
That's Will, with tawny trousers
Tucked in his stocking legs;
And yonder two wee darlings
Are beauties, Jane and Meg.

A cluster of fair jewels,
Five in the rugged set;
If any man has brighter,
I have to learn it yet;
And Tom, when I am swinging
These arms with weary strain,
Their blessed faces cheer me,
And make me strong again.

I sometimes sit and wonder,
"What will their future be?"
If they must delve and patter
A tread-mill round like me,
And scarcely at the year's end,
Have half a groat to spare,
And see bad men put over them,
'Twill be too hard to bear.

But then, I think, as nations
Rise in the scale of might,
God puts the poor man forward,
And gives him power and light;
And learning, Tom will do it—
And Christian truth will show
That heaven makes no distinction
Between the high and low.

So, though my home's a poor one,
To all who pass it by,
And none can see its beauty,
Save mother, child and I;
The future may be grander,
For some great glory won—
Some gem set in the ages
By even a poor man's son.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF

Personal Property!

At Auction.

WILL be sold at auction, at the residence of D. C. HALL, near Cummingsville, one mile from Woburn Centre, on SATURDAY, Nov. 24th, 1866, at 12 o'clock, M., a large variety of Personal Property, viz:—3 Horses, 4 Cows, 3 Calves, 17 Swine (old and young), 100 Hens and Chickens, 4 Carriages and Wagons, 1 Horse Cart, a variety of Harnesses, 2 Ploughs, 2 Harrows, 1 Cultivator, 1 Fan Mill, 10 tons of Hay, large lot of Corn and Oat Fodder, 100 bushels Corn on the ear, 200 bushels Potatoes, Shovels, Hoes, Forks, Chains, &c., &c.

Per order of D. C. HALL.

WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Nov. 17, 1866. 2t

STANDING WOOD

At Auction.

I shall sell at auction, on FRIDAY, the 23d inst., at one o'clock, P. M., in lots, all the wood standing on about 6 acres of land, in the easterly part of Woburn, on Railroad street, near the Bridge. The growth consists principally of Pine of both kinds, with some Oak. Access very easy at all seasons. Terms at the sale. If stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour.

By order of PUTNAM EMERSON.

S. F. THOMPSON, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Nov, 17th, 1866. 1t

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF

Real Estate

IN SOUTH READING.

BY license from the Court of Probate for Middlesex County, will be sold at auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, Dec. 3, 1866, at 1½ o'clock, P.M., All the Real Estate belonging to the late Ezekiel Oliver, at the time of his death, consisting of a dwelling house, barn, and other buildings, with about 40 acres of tillage, meadow and woodland, and situated on Oak street, in the southerly part of South Reading, known as Greenwood.

The land will be sold in parcels to accommodate purchasers.

EDWARD MANSFIELD.

South Reading, Nov. 17th, 1866. 3t

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No. 1.

Dr. Schenck on Dyspepsia.

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Symptoms of Dyspepsia.—A sense of fullness, tightness, and weight in the stomach, together with flatulency, acidity, sour, offensive belching of wind, waterbrash, and vomiting, and a great deal of what a person calls an all-gone feeling at the pit of the stomach; frequently there is also a palpitation of the heart, which physicians mistake for heart disease, and when the stomach is in this condition it is coated with a mucus or slime. The rough fibrous portions of the stomach, similar to what we see in tripe, is what throws out the gastric juice, and when the stomach gets a thick coat of slime on it, it prevents the gastric juice from flowing, and digestion ceases. Schenck's Seaweed Tonic dissolves this mucus or slime, and restores the stomach to its natural condition.

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PERRY DAVIS' VEGETABLE PAIN KILLER, after a through trial, by innumerable living witnesses, has proved itself the medicine of the age. Although there have been many medicinal preparations brought before the public since the first introduction of Perry Davis' Vegetable Pain Killer, and large amounts expended in their introduction, the Pain Killer has continued to steadily advance in the estimation of the world as the best Family Medicine ever introduced. It is an internal and external remedy. One positive proof of its efficacy is, that the sales have constantly increased, and wholly upon its own merits. The effect of the Pain Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cold, Cough, Bowel Complaints, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain as an external remedy, in cases of Burns, Bruises, Sores, Sprains, Cuts, Sting of Insects, and other causes of suffering, has secured for it a host of testimony, as an almost infallible remedy, that it will be handed down to posterity as one of the greatest medical discoveries of the nineteenth century.—oct27—1m

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,

AND

UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct 27—3m

G. LAMKIN,

DEALER IN

Boots and Shoes,

No. 10 Tremont Row,

BOSTON.

Established in 1849.

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EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Boots and Shoes,

☞ OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE. ☜

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

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LEARNARD & HARTLEY.

CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
oct20 :3m BOSTON.

COMPOUND

GLYCERINE LOTION,

PREPARED BY

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
APOTHECARIES,
No. 5 Wade Block, Woburn Center, Mass.

This much esteemed and highly valuable preparation, is recommended as a most effectual preventive for Chapped Hands and Sunburn; also, to use after Shaving, to allay the inflammation, irritation, &c.

As a Cosmetic for softening and beautifying the skin, removing pimples, tan, freckles, sore lips, &c., it is superior to all other preparations now in use.

Glycerine being the principal ingredient of this article, is well known to be one of the best cosmetics for softening the skin, and combined with other articles equally as efficatious, the manufacturers feel confident that it will give universal satisfaction.
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DOGS! DOGS!

HARRY JENNINGS, 32 Portland Street, Boston, Has a large assortment of Black Tans, Scotch and Skye Terriers, Gun Dogs, Watch Dogs, &c., for sale. Dogs cured of all diseases. H. J.'s Patented Magic Flea Soap, 50 cents a box.

H. J. has Stock Dogs of all kinds, including a handsome Italian Greyhound, Black Tans, and the handsomest, largest, trained Siberian Bloodhound in the States. All Dogs warranted. nov 10—6w

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

Druggists & Apothecaries,

No. 5 Wade Block,

Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock!

The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of

Drugs, Chemicals,

ETC., ETC.,

and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with

RELIABLE GOODS.

A full assortment of all the most popular

PATENT MEDICINES

OF THE DAY,

Constantly on hand. Our stock of

SOAPS,

PERFUMERY,

TOOTH BRUSHES,

ETC.,

will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of

Physicians' Prescriptions,

and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.

☞ If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.

We shall make a specialty of

Fresh Herbs,

AND SHALL KEEP

A FULL VARIETY.

We have also added to the Stock

SOME CHOICE BRANDS

OF

CIGARS

AND

TOBACCO!

CIGARS

BY THE BOX,

VERY LOW.

☞ We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public. ☜

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO., No. 5 Wade Block.

J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

Choice English

Breakfast Tea,

FOR SALE BY

URBANE DERBY.

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"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,
INSURANCE AGENT,
feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

Ho! Ye Costive Ones!

COME TO THE HEALING FOUNT!

SANBORN'S PILLS

Will cure CONSTIPATION, all BILLIOUS DISORDERS, and HEADACHE.

They do not gripe, and are sure to operate.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.

will give them to you for 25 cents a box. Try them!
oct27

"Save that Old Hat!"

AND SEND IT TO

WORTMAN'S,

27 Portland St., Boston,

And have it made Fashionable and to look as good as new.

GENTS' KERSER HATS made to order for $5.00.
nov 17—4t

HUNNEWELL'S

ECLECTIC PILLS.

The claims for this valued FAMILY PILL are beyond that of any other in use. A test of them will not only prove this, but the greater error of GRIPING, which has heretofore been called CHARACTER. The ECLECTIC PILLS never require over *two*, and seldom but one for the dose, set on the bowels without the *slightest griping*, a point of the greatest importance, particularly in

Chronic Constipation.

For which take a SINGLE PILL every or every other night. They never produce debility, and *Cure Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Head Ache, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Piles, Worms, Loss of, or Impurities of the Blood, Loss of Appetite, and all Derangements of Bowels or Stomach.*

☞ Sold by all Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Medicine at 25 cents per bottle.

JOHN L. HUNNEWELL, Proprietor,
PRACTICAL CHEMIST,
No. 9 Commercial Wharf, Boston. Mass.

Physicians or Dealers supplied in *bulk*. Formula and full Testimonial to this *Great Alcohol Development*, also the celebrated *Alterative Laxative* from the Formulas of *Drs. Haskell and Davies*, sent on demand. nov3—1m

FASHIONABLE DRESS MAKING.

Mrs. A. WILDER

has taken rooms on Summer Street, Academy Hill, and is prepared to do all kinds of Dress Making in the latest styles and the best manner.
Woburn, Nov. 10, 1866. 3t*

Smolander's Extract of

BUCHU!

Is sold by all Apothecaries, everywhere, for only ONE DOLLAR. It is a *certain cure* for

DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, DROPSY, FEMALE DISORDERS, AND GENERAL DEBILITY,

arising from excesses of any kind. Read the following TESTIMONY OF A CITY MISSIONARY:—

CHARLESTOWN, MASS. Nov. 23d, 1865.

Messrs. BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, Mass.:

I feel it a duty I owe to you, and to such of the community as are suffering as I have suffered, to make known through the medium of your advertisements the CURE that, through the blessing of God, you have wrought upon me by using SMOLANDER'S BUCHU. I had *suffered over one year* with *Kidney Disease* so bad I *could hardly walk*. I took four bottles of *Smolander's Buchu*, and it *cured me*.

WILLIAM M. MELLEN, City Missionary.

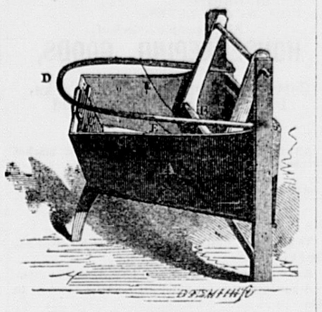
ALL APOTHECARIES SELL THIS VALUABLE PREPARATION, AND ASK ONLY ONE DOLLAR FOR IT. TRY IT.

BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Wholesale Druggists, Boston, *General Agents.*
nov 10

THE

UNION WASHER!

Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board combined.



THE Union Washer combines an excellent Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board, in a most compact, convenient and portable form, is pronounced by all who have used it a perfect machine, and just the thing that every family needs.

If desired, a *wringer* may be attached to the back of the box.

This machine is operated with the greatest ease, even by a child eight or ten years old; washes with great rapidity, and does not wear the clothes.

DIRECTIONS.—For washing three sheets, or about that quantity of clothing, put in 10 quarts of water. TRY IT, and save your time, strength and clothes.

Persons wishing to try one of these Machines, with a view of purchasing if satisfactory, can do so by applying to the manufacturer,

C. H. EDMANDS, Summer St., Lynn, Mass.
nov 10—2m

WILLCOX & GIBBS'

SEWING MACHINES.

STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,

AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.

A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

CALL AND SEE THEM.
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BOOK & JOB

PRINTING

ESTABLISHMENT,

MAIN STREET,

NEAR THE CENTRAL HOUSE,

WOBURN.

WE call the attention of the public to the facilities of the above establishment for the execution of

PRINTING

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

☞ All classes of the community can have their wants supplied in any style of printing they may need.

BLANK BOOKS,
INSURANCE POLICIES,
BANK CHECKS,
CIRCULARS,
PROGRAMMES,
PAMPHLETS,
ORDER OF EXERCISES,
LEGAL BLANKS,
BILL HEADS,
CATALOGUES,
SERMONS,
NOTE BOOKS,
BLANK RECEIPTS,
BUSINESS CARDS,
ADDRESS CARDS,
BALL CARDS,
ORDER OF DANCES,
SHOW BILLS,
POSTERS,
AUCTION BILLS,
SHOP BILLS,
MILK BILLS,
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Particular attention paid to printing

POSTERS

OF ALL SIZES,

VISITING, MARRIAGE, INVITATION, BALL AND BUSINESS CARDS.

G. R. GAGE,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

New Bank Building, Woburn,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he is now located in his new store, where, with increased facilities, he is ready to fill their orders with promptness and despatch.

BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS

made in the best style, and warranted to fit.

Particular attention paid to making

Boys' Clothing.

He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.

FURNISHING GOODS

of all kinds, and of the best qualities, constantly on hand.

BOSTON AND LOWELL

And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Deanerth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8 am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. St., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p.m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p.m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.30, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.30, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.16, 9.10, 11.57 a m., 5.19 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7.22, 8.30, a. m. 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.00, 9.36 a m, 2.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9.45 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.44 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.50, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.5 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05 7.40, 9.00, 10.04 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.30, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10.30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.36 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8.38 p. m.

*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2.15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.00, 8.15† p m.

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.

†Wednesdays at 10.15 p.m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham; at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham† for Boston, at 5.52, and 7.32, 8.52, 10.15, A. M, 1.00, 4.52, and 6.30, P M.

† A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

‡ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent.
B. L. and N. & L. R. R.

SPRINGFIELD

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.
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Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium very *low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.
oct 6—3m

STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

NEW

FISH MARKET.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Woburn and vicinity that he has taken a store on Main Street, a few doors above the Central House, which he has fitted up in a superior manner, and where he will keep all kinds of

FRESH AND SALT FISH,

OYSTERS, LOBSTERS,

and all articles usually found in a first class fish market.

All orders will be promptly attended to, and the subscriber trusts by a strict attention to business and the wants of the public, to merit their patronage. JAMES A. YOUNG.

Woburn, Aug. 25, 1866.

Bill-heads printed at this office.

LATEST NOVELTIES

—IN—

DROP TRIMMINGS, BEAD GIMPS, CHENILLE FRINGES.

One Case Colored Velvet Ribbons,

in choice shades, at very low prices.

CROCHET, VELVET AND JET BUTTONS;

BELTINGS; PEARL, STEEL AND JET BELT CLASPS,

New styles, in great variety.

CORSETS! CORSETS!

Our regular make of German Corsets gives universal satisfaction, and our prices are extremely low.

We shall open on MONDAY, October 22, one case

NEW SLIPPER PATTERNS,

among which may be found some of the richest designs ever offered in this market.

GLOVES, HOSERY, UNDER-CLOTHING,

FOR LADIES, GENTLEMEN & CHILDREN,

in great variety, and selected expressly for our retail trade.

We invite particular attention to our COTTON and WOOL RIBBED HOSE, for Ladies and Misses, they being of superior quality, and manufactured expressly for us.

JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.

17 Tremont Row, Boston.

oct 27—1m ONE PRICE ONLY.

FOWLE & CO.,

No. 164 WASHINGTON ST.,

BOSTON.

IMPORTERS OF

CARPETINGS

in every variety of style & quality.

PURCHASERS AT R TAIL

SHOULD EXAMINE THEIR STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

FOWLE & CO.,

164 Washington Street

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QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,

AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,

And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

sept29—1y

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements, from whatever cause.* All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR.

Jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the adertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing

JOHN B. OGDEN,
dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No. 9 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsus Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon enjoys perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Warerooom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,696,282.60
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN McGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, Ass't Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

LEARNARD & HARTLEY,

Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture, AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also, WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT THE—

OLD STAND,

136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,

oct 13—3m BOSTON.

NEW

Fall & Winter Goods.

CHANDLER & CO.

have received, and are now opening at their NEW STORE,

Nos. 27 & 29 Winter Street, BOSTON,

THEIR IMPORTATION OF

FALL & WINTER GOODS,

comprising an EXTENSIVE and ELEGANT stock of the following articles:—

FRENCH CASHMERE SHAWLS.
INDIA CASHMERE SHAWLS.
WOOLEN SHAWLS, new styles.
CHENILLE SHAWLS, new styles.
CLOAKS.
CLOTHS for WINTER GARMENTS.
BLACK SILKS, superior makes.
FANCY SILKS, new and beautiful colors.
FRENCH MERINOS.
FRENCH REPS.
PRINTED M. DELAINES.
PLAIN M. DELAINES.
FRENCH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
IRISH PLAID and PLAIN POPLINS.
FRENCH PRINTS.
ENGLISH PRINTS.
ARTICLES for MOURNING.
EMBROIDERIES.
HOSIERY and GLOVES.

Also a complete stock of

HOUSEKEEPING GOODS,

consisting of

Cottons, Linens, Linen Damasks, Damask Table-Cloths and Napkins Blankets and Quilts.

All of which will be offered at the lowest market prices, at

Wholesale and Retail.

oct 27—1m

MY POLICY,

To give any customer a good THIBET DRESS, for $1 a yard.

A good pair of CASHMERE HOSE, for 25 cents.

A good pair of All Wool BLANKETS for $5 to $10

All Wool Twilled FLANNEL for 37 1-2 c pr yd.

PRINTS, fast colors, for 15 cts. per yard.

LADIES' GARMENTS, from $5 to $20.

KID GLOVES, from 75 cts. to $1.25 a pair.

Fine lot of CHENILLE SHAWLS cheap.

S. H. LIBBY,

42 *Hanover, near Court Street, Boston.*

oct 27—1m

HEADQUARTERS FOR

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IN DWARF PACKAGES.

J. F. CONANT & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Fruit Dealers. FIGS in ¼, ½, ¾ and 1 lb. round and oval boxes CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

50 & 51 Chatham Street.....Boston.

J. F. CONANT, F. F. CONANT, H. GREEN.

oct 27—3m

WHEELER & WILSON'S

LOCK STITCH

Sewing Machines!

HAVE TAKEN THE

Highest Premiums

At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.

Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind.

For FAMILY SEWING.
For TAILORING.
For DRESS MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.
For SKIRT MAKING.
For SHIRT MAKING.
For CLOAK MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.

IN FACT,

For every king of Practical Sewing, WHEELER & WILSON'S IS THE ONLY ONE IN USE.

H. C. HAYDEN,

AGENT,

Office, 228 Washington St.,

oct20—3m Cor. Summer street, Boston

SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXPECTING in a little time to remove to Washington street, we offer our entire stock, consisting of elegant

DRAWING ROOM,
LIBRARY,
DINING ROOM
AND CHAMBER

Furniture!

Comprising as good and well selected stock as can be found in Boston, which we will sell at a LARGE DISCOUNT FROM REGULAR PRICES.

Purchasers will find it for their interest to visit our Warerooms, in the spacious Hall over the Passenger Depot of the Boston and Maine Rrilroad, Haymarket Square.

☞ Particular attention given in packing goods to go out of the city, and WITHOUT CHARGE TO THE PURCHASER.

BUCKLEY & BANCROFT,

Over the Passenger Depot, Haymarket Sqare.

apr7—y

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!

AND

FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,

WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to

CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.

oct13—6m

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

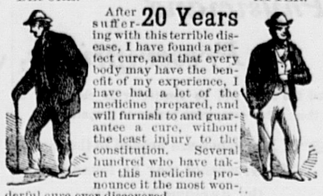
No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

sept22—3m

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



After suffering **20 Years** with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.

july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. Hetrusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG

SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

E. G. BERRY & CO.

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,

260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.

sept29—3m

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.

sept29—3m

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.

SPARROW HORTON,

feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

House and Land For Sale.

THE undersigned offers for sale his two story dwelling house, with the land under and adjoining the same, situated on New Boston Street, Woburn. The land comprises one and a quarter acres, well stocked with apple and pear trees. The premises will be sold cheap for cash. Apply to

EDWARD W. BROOKS.

Woburn, Oct. 6th, 1866. 2t*

AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,

FOR

GENTLEMEN'S

GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING A SPLENDID STOCK OF

NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF GOODS

—FOR—

Gentlemen's Garments,

EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT

CHAMBERS

BOSTON.

J. PIERPONT COLLINS.

Stereoscopes

AND

VIEWS.

JOSEPH L. BATES,

129 Washington Street . . . Boston,

Offers for sale a very superior stock of foreign Stereoscopic Pictures of recent importation.

Also, American Views of the War—Boston—Niagara—New York—White Mountains—Cape Ann, &c., &c., &c., THE BEST STEREOSCOPES, always for sale. The prices will be found low.

oct 27—1m

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING.

J. Walter Reed,

HAS REMOVED HIS

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING,

TO CHAMBERS

300 Washington St.,

Corner Suffolk Place, (a few doors South of West Street.)

The new stock is one of the LARGEST ever shown in Boston, and will be sold at LOW PRICES. A large assortment of the newest styles of PIECE GOODS is now on hand, which will be sold by the yard or made into garments for

Gentlemen, Youth or Boys.

nov 3—3m

MY CLOCK WON'T GO!

Then have it repaired and

Warranted for Three Years,

AT

J. J. BEALS & CO.'S,

No. 101 Union Street, Haymarket Square, BOSTON,

Having facilities second to none in New England for repairing Clocks of every description, we guarantee perfect satisfaction.

Clocks sent for and returned in Boston without extra charge Orders by mail solicited.

nov 3—6m

Flour,

FEED,

MEAL

AND

GRAIN,

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford. By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.

Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW

GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

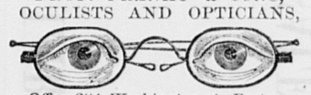
Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

URBANE DERBY.

PROF. FRANKS & SONS,

OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston. (up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any pedlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. Jan20—1y

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C. S. ADKINS,

DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY,

PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.

Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.

Violin and Guitar Strings.

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

Next door to the Post Office,

Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of **50 PER CENT.**

Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, **$9,049,539.69.**

SPARROW HORTON, Agt, for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

DR. S. STOCKING,

DENTAL SURGEON,

Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.

sept22—6m

Cards printed at this Office

NEW

Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market

On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS, VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

IN THEIR SEASONS,

POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

AND

HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

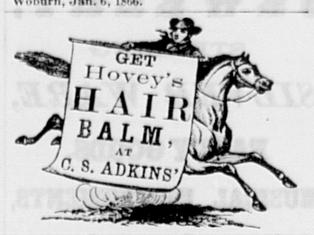
of the very best quality.

GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866. E. O. SOLES.



Anæsthesia.

Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.

COME AND GET YOUR TEETH EXTRACTED without pain, by the above anæsthetic, which is, thousands can testify who have tried it, a blessing to the age in which we live. Positively no pain at all, and can be administered, and Teeth extracted, and the patient go about his business in ten minutes' time. All other operations, such as filling and the Pathological treatment of the teeth, together with Artificial teeth of all kinds, done in the best manner and as soon as it can be done properly.

Call and see specimens at my office.

E. H. DANIELS,

19 Tremont Row, Boston.

sept 1—3m

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, JR.

Woburn, March 17, 1866.

REASONS WHY THE

American Watch

Made at WALTHAM, Mass.

IS THE BEST.

It is made on the best principle. Its frame is composed of SOLID PLATES. NO jar can interfere with the harmony of its working and no sudden shock can damage its machinery. Every piece is made and finished by machinery (itself famous for its novelty, as well as for its effectiveness) and is therefore properly made. The watch is what all mechanism should be—ACCURATE, SIMPLE, STRONG AND ECONOMICAL. Except some high grades, too costly for general use, foreign watches are chiefly made by women and boys. Such watches are composed of several hundred pieces, screwed and rivited together, and require constant repairs to keep them in any kind of order. All persons who have carried "anceres" "lepines" and "English Patent Levers," are perfectly well aware of the truth of this statement.

At the beginning of our enterprise more than ten years ago, it was our first object to make a thoroughly good low priced watch for the million, to take the place of these foreign impositions; the refuse of foreign factories, which were entirely unsaleable at home and perfectly worthless everywhere.

How well we have accomplished this, may be understood from the fact that after so many years of public trial, we now make MORE THAN HALF OF ALL THE WATCHES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES, and that no others have ever given such universal satisfaction. While this department of our business is continued with increased facilities for perfect work, we are at present engaged in the manufacture of watches of the very HIGHEST GRADE KNOWN TO CHRONOMETRY, unequaled by anything hitherto made by ourselves, and unsurpassed by anything made in the world. For this purpose we have the amplest facilities. We have erected an addition to our main building expressly for this branch of our business, and have filled it with the best workmen in our service. The machines and appliances have been constructed which perform their work with consummate delicacy and exactness. The choicest and most approved materials only are used, and we challenge comparison between this grade of our work and the finest imported chronometers. We do not pretend to sell our watches for LESS MONEY than foreign watches, but we do assert without fear of contradiction that for the SAME MONEY our product is incomparably superior. All our watches of whatever grade, are fully warranted, and this warrantee is good at all times against us or our agents in all parts of the world.

CAUTION.—The public are cautioned to buy only of respectable dealers. All persons selling counterfeits will be prosecuted.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,

AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY,

182 BROADWAY, N.Y.

nov 3—1m

CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Parian & Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.



PLATED WARE, Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

Also, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,

33 Hanover, near Court street, Boston.

HORACE COLLAMORE

DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY,

OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,

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$1.500 PER YEAR! We want agents everywhere to sell our IMPROVED $20 Sewing Machines. Three new kinds. Under and upper feed. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than $40, which are *fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Bachelder. All* cheap machines are *infringements* and the *seller* or *user* are *liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment.* Circulars *free.* Address, or call upon Shaw & Clark, Biddeford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. dec30—1y

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PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN.

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

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No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.

Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,

WOBURN CENTER,

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter,

18 OLD STATE HOUSE, Boston.

June23—1y

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.

feb3—1y

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VETERINARY SURGEON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Spleits, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

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STATIONERY,

INTERNAL REVENUE STAMPS,

Newspapers, Periodicals,
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Engravings, Photographs,

Picture Frames,

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ALBUMS,

STEREOSCOPES WITH FINE VIEWS!

WALNUT BRACKETS,

Fancy Goods and Children's Toys,

in great variety.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Paper Hangings & Curtains,

Of the latest styles, &c., &c.,

at the

LOWEST CASH PRICES.

The people of Woburn and vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

SPARROW HORTON.

Woburn Bookstore.

Woburn, Feb. 17, 1866.—tf

E. P. WHITE & CO.,

DEALRRS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

86 North St., Boston.

E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Fig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.

aug25—6m

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S

WOBURN FISH MARKET.

PERS N'S ORIGINAL

WEATHER STRIP DEPOT,

151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151

Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter.*

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.

oct20—3m

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

B. F. REBARD & SON,

149 Broad street, Boston, Mass.

oct6—3m

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ALSO,

Men & Boys' Suits,

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IN GREAT VARIETY,

AT

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THREE DOORS FROM DOCK SQ.,

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The Only Way to Cure Piles.

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CHRIST AND THE LITTLE ONES.

"The master has come over Jordan,"
Said Hannah, the mother, one day;
"He is healing the people who throng him,
With a touch of his finger, they say,
And now I shall carry the children,
Little Rachel, and Samuel, and John;
I shall carry the baby, Esther,
For the Lord to look upon."

The father looked at her kindly,
But he shook his head, and smiled;
"Now who but a doting mother
Would think of a thing so wild?
If the children were tortured by demons,
Or dying of fever, it were well;
Or had they the taint of the leper,
Like many in Israel dwell."

"Nay, do not hinder me, Nathan;
I feel such a burden of care;
If I carry it to the Master,
Perhaps I shall leave it there;
If he lay his hands on the children,
My heart will be lighter, I know;
For a blessing forever and ever,
Will follow them as they go."

So, over the hills of Judah,
Along by the vine-rows green,
With Esther asleep on her bosom,
And Rachel her brothers between,
'Mong the people who hung on his teaching,
Or wated his touch and his word,
Through the row of proud Pharisees listening,
She pressed to the feet of her Lord.

"Now, why shouldst thou hinder the Master,"
Said Peter, "with children like these?
Seest not how, from morning till evening,
He teacheth and healeth disease?"
Then Christ said: "Forbid not the children,
Permit them to come unto me!"
As he took in his arms little Esther,
And Rachel he sat on his knee;

And the heavy heart of the mother
Was lifted all earth-care above,
As he lifted his hands on the brothers,
And blest them with tenderest love,
As he said of the babes on his bosom,
"Of such are the kingdom of heaven,"
And strength for all duty and trial
That hour to her spirit was given.

[Julia Gill, in Little Pilgrim.

THE FOUR HENRY'S.

The following strange tale, translated from the French, contains the account of rather a singular rencontre of four individuals, who made themselves prominent in France during the middle and end of the sixteenth century, and is as follows:

One stormy evening, as the rain fell in torrents, an old woman, who lived in a miserable hut in the forest of St. German, and who passed in the surrounding country for a kind of witch, heard a loud knocking at her door. She opened it, and a young man on horseback presented himself and crave hospitality.

By the dull light of a lamp which she held in her hand she perceived him to be a young nobleman. He appeared to be quite young, and his dress denoted rank. The old woman lighted a fire, and inquired of the stranger whether he was hungry and desired food. The appetite of a youth of sixteen is like his heart at the same age, craving, and not difficult to please, and he immediately accepted the offer. A morsel of cheese and a loaf of black bread from the cupboard was all that the old dame could produce.

"I have nothing more," she said to the young nobleman; "this is all your grinding thithes and taxes leave a poor creature to offer a traveller; the peasents, too in this country, call me a witch and sorceress, and make the excuse to their conscience for stealing from me the little that my poor old field produces."

"Ma foi!" said the young man; "if ever I become King of France, I will suppress the taxes and teach people better."

"God grant it!" replied the old woman.

At these words the gentleman drew to the table to commence his repast; but at the same moment a fresh knock at the door arrested him.

The old woman opened it, and perceived another horseman drenched with rain, who also begged for shelter. The same hospitality was instantly granted him, and on the stranger's entrance, she perceived that the man was young, and, judging from his appearance, of noble descent.

"What! is it you, Henry?" cried one.

"Yes Henry," replied the other. Both were named Henry.

The old woman discovered from their conversation that they were of a number of a large hunting party conducted by the King, Charles IX., which had been dispersed by the storm.

"Mother," said the second comer, "have you nothing better to offer us?"

"Nothing," replied she.

"Then," said he, "we will go shares."

The first Henry demurred, but glancing at the resolute eye and strong frame of the second Henry, said in a somewhat chagrined tone—

"Agreed; we shall share equally."

He dared not express his secret motive, but he feared, if not sharing equally, his companion would appropriate the whole. They accordingly sat down on either side of the table, and one had already began to cut the bread with his dagger, when a third knock was heard at the door. The meeting was again singular. It was again a youth, a nobleman, and a Henry. The old woman looked at them with astonishment.

The first comer wished to hide the bread and cheese. The second replaced them on the table and laid his sword by their side. The third Henry smiled.

"You do not wish, then, that I should share your supper?" said he. "Well, I can wait; I have a strong stomach."

"The supper," said the first Henry, "belongs by right to the first comer."

"The supper," said the second, "belongs to him who knows best how to defend it!"

The third Henry became red with anger, and said, hautily—

"Perhaps it belongs to him who knows best how to fight for it."

These words were scarcely uttered when the first Henry drew his poignard, the two others their swords. As they were just beginning the affray they were startled by a fourth knock at the cabin door, a fourth young man, a fourth nobleman, a fourth Henry was introduced. At the sight of drawn swords he produced his own, and, attaching himself to the weakest party, he joined in the combat.

The old woman, terrified, hid herself, and the weapons struck everything in their reach. The lamp fell down and was extinguished, but they continued to fight in the darkness. The noise of the swords lasted some time and then gradually became less, and at last ceased altogether. The old woman ventured to issue forth from her hiding-place, and, rekindling the lamp she perceived the four young men stretched on the ground, each having a slight wound. She examined them carefully, and found that fatigue, rather than loss of blood, had overcome them.

They rose from the ground one after the other, and ashamed of what had transpired in the heat of their passion, they began laughing and exclamed:

"Come, let us now sup together without any more fighting."

But when they came to look for their supper they found it on the ground, all trodden under foot and stained with blood. Meagre as it was, they regretted it. In addition to this the cabin was distroyed, and the old witch, seated in a corner, fixed her pale red eyes on the four young men.

"Why dost thou stare on us thus?" said the first Henry, who was troubled at her gaze.

"I am reading the fates written on your foreheads," replied she.

The second Henry commanded her to disclose them, and the two others laughingly acquiesced. The old woman replied:

"As you have all four met in this cabin, so shall you all meet in a like destiny. As you have trampled under foot and stained with blood the bread offered you by hospitality, so will you trample under foot and stain with blood the power you might mutually share. As you have devastated and impoverished this cottage, so will you devastate and lay waste France. As you have all four been wounded in the darkness so will you all four perish by treason and voilent death.

The four young noblemen could not refrain from laughing at the old woman's prediction.

These four noblemen were the four heroes of the Ligue—two as its leaders, and two as its enemies.

Henry of Conde; poisoned by his wife at Saint Jean d'Angley.

Henry of Guise; assassinated at Blois, by the Forty-five.

Henry of Valois; assassinated by Jacques Clement, at St. Cloud.

Henry of Bourbon; assassinated at Paris by Ravaillac.

ANECDOTES OF DOGS.

[From the Westminster Review.]

Southey says, "A dog at Congreve went regularly every Sunday to Pankridge church, during a whole year that the church was under repair, and, if he could get in, passed the proper time in the family pew." The same writer records a "Methodist dog, who regularly attended chapel alone, though pelted by the church boys. His master never went, and when he was drowned in a fit of intoxication, the dog ceased coming." John Nelson maintained that the attendance of the dog at meeting was designed to attract his master to come in search of the means of salvation, but added, that "the end to be answered being frustrated by his death, the means to secure it were no longer needful!" But the most curious of these church stories is the following one, given by Mr. Jesse as original:—

"The Rev. Mr. L. had a large bloodhound which had been allowed to acquire the habit of accompanying the household to church, where he always behaved with the greatest decorum, lying at the foot of the pulpit stairs, till one unfortunate day when a stranger officiated in lieu of his master. The dog seemed to take no notice until the communion service; but when the stranger was within the rails and had just commenced the reading of the first commandment, then the dog uprose, placed his fore paws on the rails, and gave utterance to a fearful bay. The stranger, being of timid temperament, fled to the vestry-room, and the hound was ignominiously expelled, and for some time was kept chained up on Sundays during service. After a while this restraint was discontinued; but the hound did not attempt to re-enter the church, from which he felt himself excommunicated. It then soon began to be observed that he disappeared every Sunday, though no one knew or cared to inquire where, till one day Mrs. H., a married daughter of Mr. L.'s, was stopped in the street at Brixham by an angry looking woman, who poured a flood of abuse on her, the drift of which she could not at first understand, until the woman openly accused her of sending her dog to disturb the devotions of those who attend meeting. Mrs. H., aghast, asked what she meant, and heard to her surprise that for some Sundays the ex-church dog had gone to chapel, and though most respectful and devotional in his demeanor, his presence was a trial to the nerves of the congregation to whose body he had tried to join himself. Mrs. H., being a high church-woman, could only express her regret that her dog should have so far lapsed as to let himself down to attend meeting. He was once more placed under strict restraint on Sundays, and thus debarred from attending any religious denomination whatsoever."

Of the strong affection manifested by the dog for his master, and the sagacity which, inspired by this feeling, he often displays, the recorded instances are so numerous that they must be familiar to every one. Napoleon, as is well known, was much struck by seeing on the field of Bassano a dog guarding the body of his slain master, and a singular incident occurred after the battle of Talavera. In more recent times the American papers have recorded the following incident of the war just concluded:—

"The widow of Lieutenant Pfieff, of Illinois, was enabled to find her husband's grave at Pittsburgh Landing, by seeing a dog which had accompanied the Lieutenant to the war. The dog approached her with the most intense manifestations of joy, and immediately indicated to her as well as he was able, his desire that she should follow him. She did so, and he led the way to a distant part of the field, and stopped before a single grave. She caused it to be opened, and there found the body of her dead husband. It appears from the statement of some of the soldiers, that when Lieutenant Pfieff fell, his dog was by his side, and thus remained, licking his wounds, until he was taken from the field and buried. The dog then took his station by the grave, and nothing could induce him to abandon it but for a sufficient length of time each day to satisfy his hunger, until by some means he was made aware of the presence of his mistress. Thus had he watched for twelve days by the grave of his slain master."

Twelve days, however, are as nothing when compared with the three months during which the body of a tourist, who died from a fall on Helvellyn, was watched unburied by the little dog that accompanied him, an incident celebrated in verse by Sir Walter Scott and Wordsworth; and in the romance of "Syr Tryamoure," quoted by Mr. Jesse at considerable length, a greyhound is represented as burying his murdered master and watching the grave for the space of seven years, when he quits it to go to court and bring the murderer to justice, after the fashion of the well-known dog of Montargris.

In many instances, especially among that fine breed of dogs, the Scotch colley, and to a certain extent in the English sheep-dog, this affection for the master takes the shape of a strong sense of duty, and as this is seconded by perhaps the highest canine intelligence, the results produced are sometimes most wonderful. At a single word, sometimes without a word or even a signal from the master, these dogs will direct the evolutions of a large flock of sheep, although one wonders very often how their physical energies can hold up under the incessant fatigue to which they are exposed. Mr. Meyrick, in his little work on "House Dogs and Sporting Dogs," describes the proceedings of one of those dogs in a manner which sets in a striking light the faithful dutifulness of the animal. He says—

"I once saw a colley, in the highlands of Scotland, left in solitary charge of a flock of sheep which were feeding in a field separated only by a ruined wall, full of wide gaps, from a field of young corn. I watched the dog for some time: he had taken his stand on a hillock, from whence he could overlook the whole field, and check the slightest attempt to make free on the part of the sheep. I was told by the person who accompanied me, that the dog remained patiently and watchfully at his post from the earliest dawn until nightfall, and brought the flock home in the evening on hearing the shrill whistle of his master, who lived nearly a mile away. What extraordinary intelligence and what a strict sense of duty must this dog have possessed!"

ROMAN WOMEN OF FASHION.—If we closely compare some particular fashion of ancient days with the fashion of our own time, we shall be surprised to notice the slightness of the difference in taste—take, for instance, the mode of arranging the hair. But, before all, take the hair itself, Yes, take it, touch it, look at it, handle it, look at it long, till you make sure of its color. It is the very color we admire so much to-day—red hair, blonde hair, and blonde women were then as much admired and as much sought after as the choicest blonde blossoms of our drawing-rooms of to-day. So great was the preference given to blonde and yellow and red hair, that all sorts of toilet artifices were resorted to to obtain from the drugs and ointments the one color which painters and poets still delight to picture in their softest dream of fair women.

The Pompeian women obtained from the East an unguent with which they saturated their hair, and then sat for hours in the sun until the foreign substance was dried in, and the hair was transformed. Sometimes the process took days to be perfected, and then if the lady had so large a circle of acquaintances that she could secure no privacy in the city house, she betook herself to the country, and remained there till her hair was made more silken and more rich with golden hue.

The mode of dressing the hair varied as it varies with us, fashion being more of an arbiter than taste in that important detail of woman's costume. "Rats" and cushions were skillfully adjusted by the slave *coiffeur* to the head of her mistress, and we find some traces of the waterfall. Curls seem to have been the favorite style of dressing the hair for a time—curls thrown back on the neck, such as we call Grecian curls. Wearing the hair in a large knot on the summit of the head, or in short ringlets around the forehead, was also a favorate mode with the exquisites in those days of exquisite elegance. But what adorned the most of the head of the Pompeian belles were the jewelled combs and jewelled pins which they used to fasten their hair. Some of these are marvellously beautiful—not in color, but in poetical design. One of these pins found in Herculaneum, about seven or eight inches long, is surmounted by a Venus chisled in gold; she is twisting her hair, and looks at herself in a glass held by Cupid. Another is ornamented with a small figure of Pysche kissing Love.

Young girls in Pompeii wore nets, and exercised the charming capriciousness of their ficle taste in choice color, texture, and style. Some of them were made of gold thread, studded with pearls and other precious stones.

Extreme care was bestowed upon the nails of feet and hands. There was one special slave invested with the responsibility of keeping the nails of her mistress properly pared, cleaned, and tinted. Women never wore gloves, yet they delicately cherished their hands and fingers. They kept them beautiful, not by idleness alone, but by a variety of cosmetics intended to render the skin soft, smooth and flower-like. And, as the customs of those days made the fingers of women speak eloquently in adroit gesticulation, the beauty of the hand could not be overlooked. Horace makes fun of some origional wag independent enough to cut his own nails, and dispense with the services of barbor or slave.—*Galaxy.*

AMUSEMENTS AND RELIGION.—Let no man despise amusements. It is a subject which demands the most careful consideration. It should be just as truly a part of the church economy as the sacraments. Mistakes here keep people out of the church, and wound weak consciences and confuse weak brains, and prevent growth of grace in the church. Let our Christianity be comprehensive, symmetrical, well-developed. Let our young people bring all their bounding spirits, all the dew and freshness and gladness of their youth, to the Lord,—assuredly knowing that they are made in the very image of God;—that their mirthfulness came from him just as much as their memories; that the ringing laugh and the merry song, in their proper place, are acceptable to him, as well as the broken and contrite heart, and the fervent and effectual prayer in its place. The church wants all the elasticity, and cheerfulness, and sprightliness, and wit, and humor, there is in the world, whether it belongs to the young people or the old, and will find plenty of work for it to do. God is not the God of the dead, but of the living; not of the sorrowful only, but of the rejoicing. Feasting and fasting can and should be done alike to his glory. Jesus was present, not only at the tomb in Bethany, but at the marriage in Cana. I know no reason why he should not be present at the merry-makings now, as well as eighteen hundred years ago. He is the same yesterday, and to-day, and for ever. He does not afflict the children of men because he likes to do it. He rejoices in all innocent happiness. The boy need not abate one jot or tittle of his love for play because of his love for God. The sudden up-springing of the one does not necessitate the decrease of the other. The Christian ought, all other things being equal, to be in school the closest student; on the play-ground the hardest player; in the workshop, the nicest workman; behind the counter, the most valuable clerk; in the battle, the sturdiest fighter.

PIGEON SHOOTING EXTRAORDINARY.—We were one of a party of fifteen to visit the famous pigeon roost at "Devil's Hole," on Thursday night, where we witnessed one of the most beautiful sights it has ever been our good fortune to behold. We arrived on the ground about sundown, and had not to wait more than half an hour until the advance guard commenced coming in, which continued until we grew weary and began to inquire if they were not almost all in, our pilot assuring us they had hardly commenced. By and by the squads began to increase in numbers and becoming more frequent, until finally they swelled into a vast cloud, which almost obscured the heavens above us from our view, and flowed down the ravine in a perfect stream without any cessation for upwards of an hour, accompanied by a noise like the flowing of a mighty river. We were amazed—bewildered; and requested our brother hunter to hold our hat while we would, with open mouth and eyes, and wide extended arms take in the scenes above us. Finally the rear guard came up, and by the time they had all found a resting place, every tree, and bush, and twig was bending beneath their weight, resembling more than anything else we can call to mind, a swarm of bees setting upon the limbs of a tree. The ground was covered with limbs broken off by their weight. We noticed trees as thick as a man's wrist broken and bent to the earth, and others entirely uprooted. It was undoubtedly the grandest sight we ever saw. Any one who has never visited a pigeon roost can form no idea of what it is, and he is not expected to credit the stories of those who have been more fortunate than himself. The large flocks that pass over town, which are so much admired by our citizens, are as a mere single bee in a hive compared to what is to be seen at a roost. We would advise all lovers of the beautiful who can, pay it a visit before they take their departure South. Another pleasing feature to those who relish rare meat without salt, was the roast in the woods.

Our spoils were three hundred pigeons, and it was not a good night for pigeons either.

Twenty-six iron clads our now being built for the British navy.

The Middlesex Journal,

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WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

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JOB WORK, of all kinds, in plain or fancy colors, promptly executed. Book and Pamphlet work done in the very best style. Orders by mail or express faithfully attended to.

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E. MARCHANT, Proprietor.

THE LIFE OF J. G. PERCIVAL.—This eminent poet and geologist has found a friend to gather up his life and present it to the public. He died ten years ago, and the editor, Rev. Julius H. Ward, has been engaged for nearly a decade of years in its preparation. It was evidently a work of love on his part, and he has carefully gathered up all the information that could be obtained, and says: "I believe there is not much more to be known. The simple reverence for his genius and attainments which I had in boyhood has increased with a riper knowledge of his character."

We think that those who read the book will declare that *they* have risen from the reading of it with a higher appreciation of the talents, learning, labors and character of the individual delineated. How hard it seems that a man of such extraordinary and varied powers, and with such persistent toil, should have been as it were an outcast from society; been so straitened for means to live, and received so little sympathy. His portrait in the book, in its sad, timid, and mild expression, well illustrates the sufferings of his life. With every mark of genius, and intellect, and decision, the face has a woe-begone expression.

There were, however, bright spots in his life. He drew towards him many sympathising and firm friends, who essentially aided him, but he had no business talent to push himself forward, and was easily discouraged. He lived at a time when literature received poor reward. He needed a home, a security for the comforts of life, cheerful society, and more encouragement. A wife of energy and hope and sympathy, would have been of incalculable service to one so shy and sensitive and lonely. A home, like that which the poet Cowper enjoyed with Mrs. Unwin, would have been a mercy indeed. He once attempted suicide, life was such a burden. A love disappointment contributed to his depression and to this act.

His retired habits when a boy, lost him the joys and friendships of that period of sports and attachments, and these habits clinging to him in college, shut him out from acquaintances, and so through life—the lonely bachelor life, boarding himself and admitting no one into his rooms, made him appear and really feel like a hermit. It is pleasing to notice the change wrought in him at Wisconsin while he was State geologist, simply by living in a family and enjoying the society of children. Sunshine found him at last, and revealed his hidden tastes and domestic affections, and unsealed his fountains of joy. Doctor Jenckes' letter, dated Hazel Green, Wisconsin, describes the transition:

"It would have rejoiced his friends could they have seen him at this time. Translated from the isolation of a lonely room to the happy influences of a home, free from the immediate pressure of pecuniary want, surrounded by little children and a circle of friends by whom he was appreciated, but few would have recognized in the active, energetic, and social man, the reserved Percival of other years. His affection for children, especially those he fancied, was frequently shown by his kind attention to their wants and great solicitude for their welfare. Many a time he took them in his buggy, and would ride two or three miles for their diversion, evidently enjoying himself as much as his little companions. His sincerity and childlike simplicity caused their attachment to be mutual."

What a pity that such a nature should so long have been shut out from such enjoyment! It is related of him that after long solitudes he was so eager to talk with a fellow being, that he would converse for hours with friends he visited, without giving them opportunity to reply.

He was much annoyed by petty criticism and reflections upon him for his singularities, and scribblers for the press were, as usual, reckless of the wounds their purile remarks might occasion. Friendly notices of his writings, coming as they did from the highest sources, operated like a charm upon his sensitive nature, for he delighted in praise when it was delicately and sincerely expressed, without fulsomeness.

From this memoir we learn that inadequate pecuniary returns for his poems, led him to leave literary for scientific pursuits, and he was so far disgusted at one time with the public sentiment that would not accord to a poet the ability and perseverance for scientific and practical works, that he quit writing poetry altogether, and even lamented that he had ever written any. But as he first obtained fame and wide notoriety by his verse, by that he will ever be most distinguished. The public have been slow to learn that he had other qualifications, entitling him to the highest consideration, as a medical man and surgeon, geographer, linguist, geologist and botanist. Connecticut and Wisconsin selected him as State geologist, to explore their territories, and most faithfully did he execute his trust. In fact, he pursued poetry scientifically, studying all its laws, and in his ideal of this art has presented a philosophical essay, for discrimination, deep thought, and analysis, not surpassed by any writer. Had he pursued poetry, and been rewarded for it, as was Moore, and had the companionship and inspiration derived from wife and society by that poet, Percival would have placed himself in the front rank among the poets of the age. As it was, he wrought out pure metal, and fashioned it into beautiful shapes, and elevated the standard of poetry among us, and by his writings and success did much to call out the numerous poets of America, who, since his time have adorned the literature of America.

Many who visit Wisconsin from the North and the South—some of his most beautiful pieces were written and published in Charleston, S. C.,—will visit Hazel Green, where he was buried, and hallow the spot; and poor though he was and neglected in life, his fame and the services he rendered are imperishable.

There was a grand Masonic demonstration in Baltimore on Tuesday, on the occasion of laying the corner stone of the new Temple in that city. There was a procession of 5000 or 6000 persons, many bearing magnificent banners and flags, richly emblazoned with symbols of the order.

President Johnson, wearing his Masonic regalia, reviewed the procession from the steps of Governor Swann's residence.

When the procession arrived at the site selected for the Temple, the Grand Lodge of Maryland opened the ceremonies, Most Worthy Grand Master John Coates directing the ceremonies. After the corner stone had been adjusted and formally declared to be "a foundation stone well formed, true and trusty," the Grand Master delivered a few impressive words and a hymn was sung. The ceremonial concluded with the pouring of corn, wine and oil upon the stone, accompanied with solemn invocations.

A man without legs is running for a seat in the British Parliament. All right. The poor soul must have a seat somewhere, (for he can't stand,) and if he can get one in Parliament he will be quite comfortable.

THE DEGENERACY OF YOUNG MEN. A city exchange asks, "Why is it that the proportion of young men in this country who turn out badly, is so much larger than it used to be?" and finds a solution of its question in the answer that "a spirit of false pride induces parents to put their boys into stores and offices rather than apprentice them to good trades." "Mechanics and laboring men," the writer adds, "have too generally imbibed the idea that they ought to place their boys a peg above the drudgery of manual labor, which, however, is a great mistake." This explanation fails to explain satisfactorily a state of things the reality of which cannot but be admitted.

The true cause for the degeneracy of the morals of the young of the present day is infinitely broader than in the fact that laboring men wish to place their boys "a peg higher" than themselves. It is to be found in the general lowering of the moral standard of the community, which has been painfully perceptible during the last few years. Whatever may be the facts as to the good which has been accomplished by the war, it is to be feared that it has been largely counterbalanced by the flood of vice and immorality with which it has deluged our land. Distinctions between right and wrong seem, in the minds of many, to be completely obliterated. The moral miasma of war, which, during the contest, was visible in the immediate vicinities of the camp, and in localities especially liable to be affected, has been carried by the most natural causes into nearly every village in the land, contaminating thousands who have hitherto been pure.

The political and financial condition of the country has also helped on the ruin of hundreds of young men. Money easily obtained is easily spent, and ten dollars now changes hands with less deliberation than one dollar three years since. Hence has arisen a careless and free expenditure on the part of clerks and young men, which has been the ruin of hundreds. Nothing is more true than that the surest way to ruin a young man is to allow him the free use of money before his principles are fixed. Allurements in a thousand enticing forms meet him at every step, and too often prove successful in accomplishing their object. Nor are these baneful influences confined to any particular class. All departments of business and professional life feel them sensibly, and it will be long before they cease to exert their pernicious effects on society.

It is true we are not so bad as we might be, and it is also true that we might be much better than we are. If the influence of the pulpit, the press, and the examples of leading men, were as favorable to high moral character as formerly, we might hope for improvement. But when notoriously immoral men are placed in high office by all political parties, when the fact that they are good Democrats or good Republicans is made a consideration superior to their goodness as men, when the best men in the community are found subjecting moral and religious character to political requirements, there is no need to look far for reasons why so many young men are taking the wrong direction. They are taught too much that good moral character is of minor importance in American life. They see too many bad men occupying high social position. The tone of society always determines more or less the course of young men.—*New York Journal of Commerce.*

It is proposed to have a cable connecting France and America.

Butter is coming down. In Vermont it has had a fall of 15 cents a pound.

Harpers' Magazine, for December is out, with a full budget of good things.

What day in the month of March is a command to go ahead? March 4th.

Arthur's Home Monthly is also for sale at the bookstores. It is always full of good matter.

Horace Greeley is a candidate for the U. S. Senate from the State of New York.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Geo. P. Rowell & Co., "Solicitors Wanted."

Sewing machines are destroying the health of hundreds of females in both the old and new world.

Seventy thousand dollars have already been sent out from England to the Quebec sufferers.

The Pacific Railroad is being pushed rapidly forward. 20,000 Celestials are at work upon it.

Mr. Slidell wants to be pardoned, but our government has determined to let him slide.

Thirty-two Fenians are yet to be tried at Toronto. Seven have been tried and convicted.

The Bishop of London holds a fat office. It gave him last year £20,067 sterling.

The Episcopal Methodist Church of the United States has a membership of 1,032,185,—an increase for the year of 102,925.

The English people and government are now in favor of settling the claims for depredations commited on American commerce by the pirate Alabama.

It is said that no more postmasters will be removed, much inconvenience having been caused the Postmaster General by those already made.

There is but one revolutionary pensioner now living—Samuel Dunn—who enlisted in New Hampshire, but who lives in New York.

In the last half century 80,000,000 Bibles have been distributed among the heathens by the Bible Society—British and American.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue is about to purchase $5,000,000 worth of stationery for assessors and collectors east of the Rocky Mountains next year.

Jeff. Davis will not be tried until Congress enacts a special law for that purpose. He must be remarkably tough, considering the state of his health, or he would have cheated the hangman long since.

The bill making habitual drunkenness a sufficient cause for divorce, has passed the Vermont Legislature—13 to 11—with an amendment requiring that the drunkenness be of two years' duration, previous to the finding of the libel.

Secretary Seward has repeatedly stated in social converse his conviction that the policy of declaring universal amnesty, to be followed by universal suffrage in the general meaning of that term, is destined to be the basis upon which reconstruction will be finally completed.

A man in Lewisburg, Preble County, Ohio, having died of deliruim tremens, his wife brought suit for damages against two men of whom he had been accustomed to buy liquor. The County Court awarded her $500 from one of the men, and $200 from the other.

COMPOUND GLYCERINE LOTION.—J. M. Grosvenor & Co., at their apothecary store, Wade's Block, have a very valuable preparation of their own manufacture, which is rapidly gaining favor with the public. As a cosmetic, we know of no article more desirable.

Charles L. Mitchell, one of the colored men just elected to the Legislature of Massachusetts, represents the richest district in the State. It is the home of ex-governor Andrew. Mitchell is a printer, and in the battles before Richmond lost a leg.

About $54,000 worth of straw has been manufactured into 950,000 hats and bonnets in the establishments for this purpose in Franklin, Mass., during the present year. About one-eighth of the stock is of domestic manufacture, and seven-eights imported. The value of the goods made is nearly $1,300,000.

The reports made to the Treasury within a month show a tremendous amount of cotton stealing on the part of Government agents and those in collusion with them. At least fifty thousand bales, turned over to the United States by the Confederate States of America, cannot be accounted for.

About five thousand freed people in the District of Columbia have been provided for during the past year and furnished transportation to places at which employment has been secured for them. It is stated in the Freedman's Bureau circular that among a population of twenty-two thousand freed people in the District, probably not more than fifteen thousand can find employment at fair wages.

SORGHUM IN INDIANA.—A greater breadth of land than usual has been given to the growth of this now important crop. The west will yet be, to a great extent, independent of the South for her sugar crop. The quantity of sugar and molasses made each season has greatly reduced the demand for the Southern article. The molasses manufactured by some of our farmers is unsurpassed in flavor and color by any article produced in Louisiana, but, as yet, sugar is not so much of a success.—*Richmond (Ind.) Telegram.*

ANNEXATION IN VANCOUVER'S ISLAND.—Victoria advices say the question of annexation to the United States is under discussion. The Victoria Telegraph newspaper says "England gives us no assistance and saddles us with a cumbersome form of government against our wishes. The Federal authorities spend hundreds of thousands of dollars every year on their territories and ask the inhabitants to pay but a trifle of the outlay in consequence of its infancy. Every British colony is devoted to chronic discontent, culminating often in armed outbreaks, while in the United States Territories scarcely a remonstrance is heard. Our country is killed by extravagant men at the head of affairs, while others steadily progress under the management of the people."

A RAY OF HOPE.—Prices are tumbling, and we trust the following, which we copy from the Boston Traveller, is true, in every particular:—

Prices must come down. Beeves that sold readily for $130 a head four weeks ago would not bring $100 to-day; sheep then went quickly at an average of $6 a piece then, would be sold at $5 now; and hogs that cost 9c a pound in Chicago were sold in New York last week at 7 1-2. Pork declined $4.50 a barrel last week, and the decline this month has amounted to the extraordinary total of $14.75. Four extensive pork dealers at New York have been compelled to suspend, and it is feared that others will be forced into the same position. The immediate cause of this collapse in prices is an overloaded market, but there is likely to be no reaction, so far as pork is concerned.

The New York Express has another comforting paragraph, as follows:—

The wholesale prices current report a decline in cotton, a decline in provisions, a decline in oils, a decline in wool, tallow, leather, naval stores, metals, bonds, stocks, &c., &c. In the necessaries of life we hope that men in the retail trade will recognize these declensions in price, and give consumers some of the benefits.

When the great crash comes, speculators will get their reward, and honest men will sing praises to a kind Providence.

Our Winchester correspondent, "Excelsior," indulges in some reflections upon his long connection with the *Journal*, which extends over a period of seven years. During the whole of this time he has been a faithful and trustworthy contributor to the columns of this paper, and he may well be proud of the high estimation in which he has ever been held by the readers and publishers of the *Journal*. May he long continue in his lofty flight, and at last reach a celestial sphere.

The reader will not fail to notice the advertisement of G. R. GAGE & Co., which appears in our columns to-day. This establishment has long been celebrated for the quality of its goods, its unsurpassed workmanship, and also for its elegant fits in coats and pantaloons, as in every thing else which goes to make up a gentleman's outside wardrobe. The stock of goods is always choice and most desirable, and fully equal to the wants of the public. We notice that Mr. Gage has formed a copartnership with Mr. F. A. FLINT, a gentleman of rare executive ability, who will be a desirable accession to the business department, and thus relieve Mr. Gage of the pressing demands upon his attention, which, for a year or two past, have been almost incessant. The new firm have a bright prospect before them, and the best wishes of the whole community.

TWO MAILS A DAY.—A petition to the Post Master General for two mails a day, between Boston and Woburn, is in circulation.

Our young friends who desire instruction in bookkeeping, navigation, arithmetic or penmanship, are referred to the advertisement of Mr. J. A. Boutelle, whose reputation as a successful teacher in these branches, is unsurpassed.

On Wednesday evening next, all the stores in town will be kept open, for the purpose of enabling those, who may wish, to purchase articles for Thanksgiving day. A wise arrangement.

WOOD & TIMBER AT AUCTION.—The reader is referred to an advertisement, in another column, respecting the sale of a lot of wood and timber at auction, by William Winn, Esq. This sale, which will take place on the 30th inst., is well worthy public attention.

Rev. Mr. Chaney, of the Hollis St. Church, Boston, will occupy the Unitarian pulpit to-morrow.

NEW STOCK.—Mr. A. Wood, at No. 11 Wade's Block, has received a large assortment of new goods. In addition to his usual variety of boots and shoes, he is now prepared to furnish the public with gloves, mittens, under shirts, drawers and socks, and a general assortment of fancy goods, at prices as low as the lowest. See advertisements.

Release of Thirty-nine Fenians.—Toronto, C. W., Nov. 19.—On Saturday night thirty-nine Fenian prisoners were released from custody. Their discharge was conducted with great secresy, only about an hour's notice being given them before they were sent away. They were furnished with transportation by the government to the Suspension Bridge, and a special train was furnished by the Great Western Railroad, which drew up in the rear of the jail at 10 o'clock, and the men were safely placed on board in charge of a guard of 20 men. The prisoners received a good supper at the railroad station before starting, and each was presented with a $5 greenback. On reaching Niagara Falls the Fenians bade good bye to their escort, giving three hearty cheers for the sheriff, the governor of the jail and the jail officials.

SINGULAR DEATH.—On Friday last Sydney Tompkins, a wealthy farmer in Stillwater, Washington county, N. York, met with his death in a singular manner. Upon visiting his cattle-yard, he discovered that one of his cows was in great distress in consequence of the lodgment of a potato in the throat. Mr. Tompkins undertook to relieve the animal, and for this purpose thrust his arm partially down the mouth and throat. While standing over the head of the animal, the cow in its agony pressed its head downward, and, suddenly elevating it again, caught Mr. T. upon its horns, throwing him several feet into the air. In his descent he struck upon the paling of a fence, one of the pickets of which entered his neck, severing one of the arteries, from which he bled to death in a few moments.

The postal service in the eleven seceded States, which before the war never paid expenses, has netted over two hundred thousand dollars profit during the past year.

WOBURN LOCALS.

CONCERT.—A grand concert will be given in the 1st Congregational church, week after next, by Mr. Henry Carter, a celebrated organist from London, Eng., with a choir of Cathedral boys under his direction, assisted by Mr. Wm. H. Clark, the organist. The voices of these boys are in a high state of cultivation, and the performance of such music as they will render in solos, duets, trios, &c., in connection with the finest selections of grand organ music, will be the richest musical treat ever afforded to the people of this and surrounding towns. Notice will be given next week of the evening—and of further particulars.

PARISH MEETING.—A meeting of the 1st Congregational parish was held in the small vestry of the church last Monday evening. Mr. Wm. A. Stone was chosen moderator. A committee of nine, consisting of John R. Kimball, D. D. Hart, Stephen Dow, John Bacon, Walter Wyman, A. G. Carter, E. Cutter, W. A. Stone, G. R. Gage, was chosen to supply the pulpit made vacant by the dismissal of Rev. Dr. Bodwell. A committee of six was appointed to revise the parish by-laws and report at a subsequent meeting, after which the meeting dissolved.

IMPROVEMENTS.—The highway laborers are lowering the grade of Mann street very materially.

The Chief Engineer L. W. Perham, has suggested to the Selectmen the propriety of building a large open reservoir upon the common, capable of holding at least one hundred and fifty thousand gallons. While such a measure would be of great service in case of fire, it could also be made to greatly increase the attractiveness of our common. It will be well to consider this suggestion in all its bearings, as it may assume a definite form at the next town meeting.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Miss Elizabeth J. Eelles, of this town dropped dead at the residence of Mr. W. H. Howland, last Monday evening. She had been spending the evening at the residence of Capt. Cyrus Tay, and started for home about half past eight o'clock, apparently in her usual health. She reached home a little past nine o'clock, and on Mr. Howland's opening the door to admit her, she fell forward, uttering a few words and almost immediately expired. Heart disease is thought to have been the cause, as she had on a previous occasion, a few weeks ago, barely escaped with her life from a similar attack.

Y. M. L. C. A.—The Young Men's Liberal Christian Association, of North Woburn, will hold a fair and festival in the school house in that village, on Wednesday, Dec. 5th. The usual attractions will be offered in the way of speeches, music, etc., and oysters, ice cream, confectionery and refreshment tables will present their claims to those who may attend.

THE FREEDMEN.—An earnest effort is being made in the 1st Congregational church to raise sufficient funds to support a teacher among the freedmen of the South, under the auspices of the American Missionary Society.

IMPROVEMENTS.—Extensive alterations and improvements will shortly be made in the Methodist church. It is the intention to raise the building so as to give a vestry under the audience room eleven feet high, and the entrance to the church and vestry will be on the same plan as that of the Congregational and Unitarian churches.

RUN AWAY.—Last Friday evening Mr. Eustis Cummings left his horse standing near the Post Office, No. Woburn. The horse became frightened by some means, and ran away. He traveled the whole distance to the Central House stabie, where he is boarded, without accident, until just as he was entering the stable door the carriage struck the projecting window sill of the office, and broke the cross-bar and whiffletree.

PATENT.—Among the list of patents issued for the week ending November 13th, 1866, was one to Ephraim Cutter, M. D., of this town, "for improvement in dental anæsthetic instruments."

SLIGHT MISTAKE.—The ringing of the bell on the 1st Congregational church, at 8 o'clock last Saturday evening, was owing to a mistake on the part of the town ringer, who thought the clock had struck nine.

SEIZURE.—Last Saturday afternoon the Chief of Police made a descent upon the Central House bar room, and "cleaned it out," as the saying is. A considerable quantity of whiskey, rum, brandy, ale, &c., and quite an assortment of wine, were seized, which, together with the vessels containing them, made the seizure the most important and extensive that has taken place in this vicinity.

—Mrs. Jones says that Jones' excuse for being out nearly all night, that he was watching to see the meteoric shower, would be more plausible if his clothes didn't smell so strong of cigar smoke, and he wasn't troubled with hiccoughs.

—That man will never do any thing great who does not see shining in his horizon an ideal which stamps as imperfect all he has been able to realize.

WOODEN WEDDING.—On Saturday evening of last week, the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Luke W. Fowle, of this town, gathered at their house, on Fowle street, to celebrate with that couple the fifth anniversary of their wedding. A goodly number were present, who spent the evening in a social manner, and left behind them an extensive variety of wooden testimonials of respect and friendship. It was a surprise party.

SNOW STORM.—The first snow storm of the season visited us on Thursday evening, and Friday morning the ground was white. The weather was quite too mild for it, however, and it soon vanished.

THANKSGIVING SERMON.—Thanksgiving day there will be a union service of the evangelical societies in town, at the usual hour for church service, in the Baptist church. Rev. Mr. Townley will preach the sermon. LUKE R. BOUT.

AN ERROR CORRECTED.—Most practitioners and medicine makers, in preparing pulmonary medicine, use ingredients which must be prescribed "not oftener than three or four times per day:" the proper treatment in such cases is to employ a medicine that is safe to use every fifteen minutes—the directions for cough medicines should be "little and often." It is the throat, not the stomach, that requires treatment—this is the secret of the success of Coe's Cough Balsam. "Take it, little and often." In a very short time it has become immensely popular.

WINCHESTER.

THE WEDDING.—It has been suggested by some that the wedding of which a description was given last week, was a highly colored affair. Those who were present on that occasion or know any thing in relation to it, will concur in the statement that it was so really and in fact. Those who were disappointed in not being permitted to witness the ceremonies, should not be envious of their more favored neighbors, but rest satisfied that the account was not even sufficiently colored to set it forth in its proper light. Although but few of these occasions occur here, yet in other parts of our country they are frequent, especially since the war closed and afforded an opportunity to many loving hearts to be united, heretofore separated by indissoluble bonds.

FAIR AND SALE.—The ladies of the Unitarian Society intend to have a sale of fancy articles on Thursday, Dec. 20th, in Lyceum Hall. In connection with it there will be an exhibition of tableaux, music and the usual attendants upon such occasions. A supper will also be provided. An opportunity will here be afforded to purchase Christmas presents and at the same time aid this new society in its work. The ladies have made up a large number of useful articles of clothing, which will doubtless meet with a ready sale.

PERSONAL.—Last week closed the seventh year of your correspondent's connection with the Middlesex Journal, as a reporter of the events transpiring from week to week, in this goodly town. For three hundred and sixty-four weeks, with but a few exceptions occasioned by sickness or absence from town, he has endeavored to keep the readers of this paper informed in these matters. With what success he will leave others to decide. Suffice it to say, that though these communications have not been oftimes of much importance, but requiring much labor and no little racking of the brain for material, yet it has on the whole been a pleasant duty, and the many interesting items which these records of the past present will repay the labor they may have cost.

The future historian of the town may be glad to glean from these communications those facts which go to show the character of the population, its progress as well as the incidents which have marked its growth.

Since your correspondent commenced his weekly epistles, the publishing of the Journal has several times changed hands. The first publisher passed to his home on high shortly after my connection with the paper.

The *nom de plume* has been maintained throughout, it being one in which your correspondent feels a special interest, and whose meaning he has sought to show forth in his writings. He has not intentionally injured the feelings of any one, but as a faithful chronicler of passing events has aimed to give the news of the day, and make suggestions of general interest. These remarks have been brought out by looking over the communications of the period referred to, which have been carefully preserved, and which have led me to feel myself a veteran in the work.

NEW SCHOOL HOUSES.—On Thanksgiving day the High and Grammar school houses will be open for public inspection. It is to be hoped that all will improve the opportunity to see what ample provision has been made for the children who are to attend these schools. These houses will be used for their purposes the next term, commencing on Monday, Dec. 3d. EXCELSIOR.

"When thou makest a Supper, call not thy kinsman or rich neighbor, lest they bid thee again."

Mr. Editor:—I had the pleasure of being present last evening on the occasion of an annual visit of a few friends to a worthy citizen of Woburn, who is past his labors and quite infirm.

It is rare that a score of persons of the various ages meet together from different quarters, over a radius of 12 miles, and pass 3 hours with so great an amount of enjoyment. There was the aged friends of the host, met to take by the hand their less favored brother, and it was worth the visit to glance at the sparkling eye and grateful expression, as slips of green paper were privately left in the grasp. There was our *little friend*, the member from Dorchester, who, with his interesting family, are ever ready for any good work. While the aged ones were comparing notes of the past, and fighting their battles (of life) over again, the lady friends spread the tables, and I did not hear them *groan*, but they were well filled. After the giving of thanks by the Patriarch, the company partook of a quiet cup of coffee made for the occasion. We would here say, that *unlike* the Egyptian servant, our chief Butler, *did* remember Joseph, (and sent him a barrel of flour.)

The hours flew quickly, and after singing the Doxology it was concluded to *adjourn*, and not to *dissolve* the meeting.

☞ The attention of those who may desire a rare lot of timber for sawing purposes, is called to the auction sale of Wood and Timber, near the residence of Wm. Duren, on Monday next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

Married

In Woburn, 8th inst., by Rev. M. G. Wheeler, Capt Theophilus F. Page and Miss Rosetta Magee, all of W.

In Andover, 20th inst, by Rev. Mr. Lane, Mr. Edward A. Pierce, of Winchester, to Miss Julia E. Hatch, of Andover.

Died

In Woburn, 19th inst., very suddenly, Miss Elizabeth J. Eells, aged 48 years.

In Wilmington, Nov. 21st, Maria R. White, aged 56 years, 9 months.

In Winchester, Nov. 11, suddenly, Isaac Parker Wilde, son of the late Hon. S. S. Wilde, of Boston, and grandson of the late Gen. Cobb, aged 58 years.

In Winchester, 13th inst., James Johnson, 84 yrs.

NOTICE.

All the stores in town will be OPEN on the Wednesday evening before Thanksgiving, Nov. 28th.

This arrangement will be only for the evening named, for the accommodation of those wishing to make purchases for Thanksgiving.

Woburn, Nov. 24, 1866.

The Season of Storms.

The blasts of autumn and the chill storms of early winter are apt to make sad inroads upon the constitutions of the feeble. In old times at the commencement of every season it was the fashion to take a strong cathartic as a safeguard against a change of temperature. It was a worse than senseless practice. The people of our day understand the matter better. Instead of depleting the system they reinforce it. In the method they adopt they exhibit a wise discrimination. Instead of resorting to the vitiated stimulants of commerce, or any of the compounds derived from them, they put their faith in the only absolutely pure invigorant procurable in the market—HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Their faith is well founded. Never has any tonic medicine been prepared with such scrupulous precission and conscientious care. It is a vegetable compound of which every ingredient is sound, wholesome, and *medicinal* in the true sense of the word. Now we have three prominent national complaints. One-half of the adult population of the United States suffer more or less, either from disease of the stomach, derangements of the liver, or affections of the kidneys. In no other land under Heaven are those maladies so general as in this country, and HOSTETTER'S BITTERS is a specific for them all, unless organic in their origin, and, therefore, beyond cure. And let those who are fortunate enough to be exempt from them at present understand one great fact, viz: that an occasional use of this vitalizing tonic will as certainly prevent them as the sun will prevent the earth from freezing where its genial beams descend.—*Communicated.* nov 24—1m

No. 2.

DR. SCHENCK'S NEW OFFICE.

DR. J. H. SCHENCK, of Philadelphia, has opened an office on second floor of No. 35 HANOVER STREET, Boston, where he will be professionally every WEDNESDAY, from 9 to 3. Every person complaining with Consumption, or any disease leading to it, is invited to call on him. He gives advice free, but for a thorough examination with his Respirometer the charge is five dollars.

Dr. Schenck can explain to patients very correctly the stage of their disease, and how to use his medicines, namely, his Pulmonic Syrup, Seaweed Tonic, and Mandrake Pills, without the use of the Respirometer; but by it he can tell exactly how far the lungs are gone, and what part also; whether it is Tuberculous, Pulmonary, Bronchial, or Dyspeptic Consumption, or whether it is merely an ulcerated throat and catarrh, or from Liver complaint.

His medicines have full directions, so any one can take them without seeing him; but if they live near by, and are well enough, it is best to see him. All three of his medicines are required in nearly every case of lung disease, for it is impossible to cure Consumption unless the stomach and liver are kept in perfect order. To get lungs in a healing condition the stomach must be cleansed, and an appetite for good rich food created, so as to make good blood, before the lungs will begin to heal; then the chills and night sweats will stop, and the expectoration become free and easy.

He keeps a full supply of medicines at his rooms, which can be had at all times.

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WOOD AND TIMBER!
AT AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, the 26th inst., at 12 o'clock, M., will be sold at auction, in lots, that well known lot of wood and timber, situated in the westerly part of Woburn, within 100 rods of the residence of Wm. Duren. Said wood consists of one of those large growths of Oak, Maple, and White Pine Timber Trees, of the very best quality for sawing purposes that can be found now standing in this section of the state.

Also, about 5 acres of wood, situated about half way from the above named lot to the farm formerly owned by Marshall Locke, Esq., and near the road that leads to Messrs. Blanchard's. Said growth consists of white and yellow oak, of a good quality for the market.

The location is good and accessible at all seasons of the year. By order of WM. DUREN.
WM. WINN, Auctioneer.
Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866.—1t

STANDING
Wood & Timber,
AT AUCTION.

I shall sell at Auction, in lots, on MONDAY, Dec. 3d, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., all the Wood and Timber standing upon about 30 acres of land, situated partly in Winchester and partly in Stoneham, beginning a short distance west of the celebrated reclaimed meadow of Col. Lyman Dike, on the northerly side of long meadow, and extending westerly nearly to Forest street. The growth consists of White and Pitch Pine, Oak, Maple, &c., is of superior quality, and comprises many trees suitable for sawing. There are also many Cedars, suitable for posts. Access, which is easy at all seasons, may be had near the house of John S. Richardson, or from Forest street, at the top of the hill above the house of Samuel Richardson. Terms easy, and made known at sale. If stormy on said day, the sale will take place the next fair business day, at the same hour. By order of
JOHN S. RICHARDSON.
S. F. THOMPSON, Auctioneer.
nov24—2t

Best Chance of the Season.

Timber & Wood,
AT AUCTION.

ON FRIDAY, Nov. 30th, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., will be disposed of at auction, in lots to suit purchasers, the Timber and Wood standing on about 20 acres of land, on what is called The Mountain Lot, situated a few rods from Highland street, near the residence of L. H. Allen and John A. Boutelle, in Woburn Centre. The wood consists of Oak, Pitch and White Pine, and is of 30 years' growth. This will afford the citizens of Woburn and vicinity a good opportunity to supply themselves with fuel at very little inconvenience, as is it adjacent to the town and easy of access at all seasons of the year.

Also, the Wood standing on about 12 acres of land, called the WALKER MEADOW, situated in the north-easterly part of Woburn, near the site of the old mill, on New Boston street, on the road leading from the Woburn Almshouse. It consists of Walnut, Oak, White and Pitch Pine.

Also, the Wood standing on about 15 acres of land, situated on Salem and Beach Streets, called the CEMETERY LOT, consisting of Oak, Pine and White Birch. This lot, so near the traveled road and center of the town, is worthy the attention of Woburn housekeepers.

The sales will be continued from day to day, until the whole is disposed of. Terms made known at sale.

AUGUSTUS BOUNDY, for WYMAN BROTHERS.
WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.
Woburn, Nov. 23d, 1866. 1t

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E. CUTTER, Sec. Board of Trustees.
Woburn, Nov. 24, 1866. 2t

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A. WOOD.

NO. 11 WADE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

BY virtue of a license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, as Guardian of GEORGE F. CUTTER, a minor, will sell at public auction, on MONDAY, the tenth day of December, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, one undivided third part, subject to widow's dower, of about two acres of meadow land, situated in Winchester, in said County; bounded southerly on Woburn Branch Railroad, northwesterly on land of Andrew Shephard, northeasterly on the Abjona river, southeasterly on land of heirs of James F. Baldwin, deceased, the same having formerly belonged to Andrew Cutter, deceased.

JOHN H. WOODWARD, Guardian.
Winchester, Nov. 23d, 1866. 3t*

NOTICE.

{L. S.} TO JOHN F. WETHERBEE, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About twelve pints of WINE, in twelve bottles; about two quarts of WHISKEY, in six bottles; about two quarts of RUM in three bottles; about one pint of GIN, in one bottle; about three pints of BRANDY, in two bottles; about three and one-half gallons of WHISKEY, in two demijohns; about two quarts of GIN, in one demijohn; about one quart of BRANDY, in one demijohn; about two gallons of WINE, in one demijohn; about two quarts of RUM, in a jug; about eight gallons of WINE, in two kegs; about six gallons of ALE in a barrel,

which by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said John F. Wetherbee, in said Woburn, on the seventeenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, in my opinion exceeds twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before the Justices of the Superior Court next to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Monday of February next, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said John F. Wetherbee, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this seventeenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.
nov24—2t

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nov. 24—2t*

Copartnership Notice.

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G. R. GAGE.
F. A. FLINT.
Woburn, October 1st, 1866. nov 24—tf

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GENT'S BEAVER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

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HAVE just received a lot of Goods suitable for Overcoats and Business Suits, saved from the late fire in Franklin street, Boston, and they are now prepared to manufacture Garments from them at a reduction of more than fifty per cent. on former prices. They are in no way inferior to higher priced Goods, having only been slightly damped. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those who have not been able to purchase an Overcoat at the higher prices. nov24: tf

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DRESS MAKING.
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has taken rooms on Summer Street, Academy Hill, and is prepared to do all kinds of Dress Making in the latest styles and the best manner.
Woburn, Nov. 10, 1866. 3t*

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Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

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A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,
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Dress Furs!

Our choice selection of FUR GARMENTS for the coming Winter will be opened for the inspection of the public

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The goods presented for public approval will consist in part of Garments made from

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The most valuable of all Furs.

Hudson Bay Sable,

which ranks next in elegance and variety to the Russian.

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A popular and desirable Fur,

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Besides many other varieties.

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which, with one exception, is THE LARGEST RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT OF THE KIND IN THE COUNTRY, unsurpassed for the facilities for transacting this business.

Our Furs are originally selected in the raw state by Mr. MARCUS COOK, who has had a valuable experience of twenty years in the business—and are personally inspected by him in every stage of their manufacture; no garment being allowed to be displayed for sale until perfect in every respect, both as regards

SUPERIORITY OF KIND
AND
EXCELLENCE OF MANUFACTURE.

☞ All FURS sold by us are warranted NATURAL COLOR.

*** OLD FURS re-made and taken in exchange.

Cook & Aldrich.

145 & 147 Washington St.,
(Opposite the Old South.) BOSTON.
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HAVE YOU SEEN THOSE
GOOD CIGARS,
—AT—
GROSVERNOR & CO.'S

Hats and Bonnets.

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST PLACE TO BUY HATS AND BONNETS IS AT
MRS. ATWOOD'S,
401 *Washington Street, ... Boston.*
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LADIES, before purchasing your Bonnets and Hats, please call at Mrs. ATWOOD'S, 401 Washington street, and examine her styles.

FOR SALE BY



A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

CIGARS,

STEARNS, HART & COMPANY.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF
Personal Property!
At Auction.

WILL be sold at auction, at the residence of D. C. HALL, near Cummingsville, one mile from Woburn Centre, on SATURDAY, Nov. 24th, 1866, at 12 o'clock, M., a large variety of Personal Property, viz:—3 Horses, 4 Cows, 3 Calves, 17 Swine (old and young), 100 Hens and Chickens, 4 Carriages and Wagons, 1 Horse Cart, a variety of Harnesses, 2 Ploughs, 2 Harrows, 1 Cultivator, 1 Fan Mill, 10 tons of Hay, large lot of Corn and Oat Fodder, 100 bushels Corn on the ear, 200 bushels Potatoes, Shovels, Hoes, Forks, Chains, &c., &c.

Per order of D. C. HALL.
WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.
Woburn, Nov. 17, 1866. 2t

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF
Real Estate
IN SOUTH READING.

BY license from the Court of Probate for Middlesex County, will be sold at auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, Dec. 3, 1866, at 11 o'clock, P. M., All the Real Estate belonging to the late Ezekiel Oliver, at the time of his death, consisting of a dwelling house, barn, and other buildings, with about 40 acres of tillage, meadow and woodland, and situated on Oak street, in the southerly part of South Reading, known as Greenwood.

The land will be sold in parcels to accommodate purchasers.

EDWARD MANSFIELD, Adm'r.
South Reading, Nov. 17th, 1866. 3t

TO OWNERS OF HORSES AND CATTLE.

TOBIAS' DERBY CONDITION POWDERS ARE warranted superior to any others, or no pay, for the cure of Distemper, Worms, Bots, Coughs, Hidebound, Colds, &c., in Horses; and Colds, Coughs, Loss of Milk, Black Tongue, Horn Distemper, &c., in Cattle. These Powders were formerly put up by Simpson I. Tobias, son of Dr. Tobias, and, since his death, the demand has been so great for them, that Dr. Tobias has continued to manufacture them. They are perfectly safe and innocent; no need of stopping the working of your animals. They increase the appetite, give a fine coat, cleanse the stomach and urinary organs; also increase the milk of cows. Try them, and you will never be without them. Hiram Woodruff, the celebrated trainer of trotting horses, has used them for years, and recommends them to his friends. Col. Philo. P. Bush, of the Jerome Race Course, Fordham, N. Y., would not use them until he was told of what they are composed, since which he is never without them. He has over 20 running horses in his charge, and for the last three years has used no other medicine for them. He has kindly permitted me to refer any one to him. Over 1,000 other references can be seen at the depot. Sold by Druggists and Saddlers. Price 25 cents per box. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York. nov 17—7w

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W. B. ELLIS & CO. 28 Bromfield st. Boston.

OFFER AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
A large assortment of
WINDOW SHADES, LACE CURTAINS,
AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS.

New Goods constantly received.
Drapery Curtains put up in the best manner, at reasonable prices.

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,
28 Bromfield st., Boston.
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Hair Work.

KEEPSAKES, useful and ornamental, made of Children's and Grown Person's Hair, in innumerable variety and styles, at

36 Winter St., Boston, Room 4 1-2.
L. CHRISTEN & CO.
nov17—4t

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,
AND
UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct 27—3m

G. LAMKIN,
DEALER IN
Boots and Shoes,

No. 10 Tremont Row,
BOSTON.

Established in 1849.

Jobbing & Retail.

EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Boots and Shoes,

☞ OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE.

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

G. LAMKIN,
NO. 10 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct27—3m

LEARNARD & HARTLEY.

CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
oct20 :3m BOSTON.

COMPOUND
GLYCERINE LOTION,

PREPARED BY
J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
APOTHECARIES,
No. 5 Wade Block, Woburn Center, Mass.

This much esteemed and highly valuable preparation, is recommended as a most effectual preventive for Chapped Hands and Sunburn; also, to use after Shaving, to allay the inflammation, irritation, &c.

As a Cosmetic for softening and beautifying the skin, removing pimples, tan, freckles, sore lips, &c., it is superior to all other preparations now in use.

Glycerine being the principal ingredient of this article, is well known to be one of the best cosmetics for softening the skin, and combined with other articles equally as efficatious, the manufacturers feel confident that it will give universal satisfaction.
nov3

DOGS! DOGS!

HARRY JENNINGS, 32 Portland Street, Boston, Has a large assortment of Black Tans, Scotch and Skye Terriers, Gun Dogs, Watch Dogs, &c., for sale. Dogs cured of all diseases. H. J.'s Patented Magic Flea Soap, 50 cents a box.

H. J. has Stock Dogs of all kinds, including a handsome Italian Greyhound, Black Tans, and the handsomest, largest, trained Siberian Bloodhound in the States. All Dogs warranted. nov 10—6w

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JOB PRINTING NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
Druggists & Apothecaries,

No. 5 Wade Block,
Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock!

The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of

Drugs, Chemicals,

ETC., ETC.,

and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with

RELIABLE GOODS.

A full assortment of all the most popular

PATENT MEDICINES

OF THE DAY,

Constantly on hand. Our stock of

SOAPS,
PERFUMERY,
TOOTH BRUSHES,
ETC.,

will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of

Physicians'
Prescriptions,

and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.

☞ If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.

We shall make a specialty of

Fresh Herbs,

AND SHALL KEEP

A FULL VARIETY.

We have also added to the Stock

SOME CHOICE BRANDS

OF

CIGARS

AND

TOBACCO!

CIGARS
BY THE BOX,
VERY LOW.

☞ We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
No. 5 Wade Block.

J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.
Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

Choice English
Breakfast Tea,
FOR SALE BY
URBANE DERBY.
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"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,
INSURANCE AGENT,
feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

Ho! Ye Consumptive Ones!
COME TO THE HEALING FOUNT!
SANBORN'S PILLS

Will cure CONSTIPATION, all BILLIOUS DISORDERS, and HEADACHE.

They do not gripe, and are sure to operate.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.
will give them to you for 25 cents a box. Try them!
oct27

"Save that Old Hat!"
AND SEND IT TO
WORTMAN'S,
27 Portland St., Boston,

And have it made Fashionable and to look as good as new.

GENTS' KERSEY HATS made to order for $5.00.
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TO THE PEOPLE OF
WOBURN
And Vicinity.

Frank B. Dodge,

Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

LARGE

AND

WELL SELECTED STOCK

OF

WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
STERLING
SILVER WARE,
FANCY GOODS,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
&c., &c., &c.,

His stock consists of all kinds of

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
FINE SILVER

AND

PLATED WARE,

☞ And a general assortment of

Fancy Goods!

SUCH AS

ALBUMS,
LEATHER BAGS,
WATCH STANDS,
THERMOMETERS,
HDK'F and GLOVE BOXES,
DRESSING CASES,
FANS,

with a large variety of Lava, Parian and Etruscan

VASES,

COLOGNES, SMOKER SETS,
MATCH BOXES, &c.

Fine Table Cutlery,
RAZORS,
POCKET KNIVES,

and every article usually found in a

FIRST CLASS
Jewelry Store.

Every article warranted to be as represented.

FINE WATCHES
REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.

ALL KINDS OF
CLOCKS AND JEWELRY
REPAIRED AND WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

OLD GOLD and SILVER taken in exchange.

Gold, Silver and Steel SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASS, &c.

Engraving Done to Order.

All goods sold by me, engraved free of charge.

Frank B. Dodge,

OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Nov. 3, 1866.—2m

BOSTON AND LOWELL

And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12,00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7-00, 8† am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8†, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4 00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.30, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7-22, 8.30, a.m. 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.23, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place, 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05, 7.40, 9.00, 10-24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.

*On or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2.15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7-40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.
†Wednesdays at 10.15 p m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham,‡ at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5 52, and 7-32, 8.52, 10.15, A .M, 1.00, 4-52, and 6.30, P M.

‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11 30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent,
B. L. and N. & L. R. R.

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

G. R. GAGE,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

New Bank Building, Woburn,

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public, that he is now located in his new store, where, with increased facilities, he is ready to fill their orders with promptness and despatch.

BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS

made in the best style, and warranted to fit.

Particular attention paid to making

Boys' Clothing,

He has on hand a large stock of the best and most desirable goods in the market, suitable for the season, which will be made up to order at the most reasonable rates.

FURNISHING GOODS

of all kinds, and of the best qualities, constantly on hand.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 Endicott St., Boston, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

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Sewing Machines!

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At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.

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For every kind of Practical Sewing,
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IS THE ONLY ONE IN USE.

H. C. HAYDEN,

AGENT,
Office, 228 Washington St.,
oct29—3m Cor. Summer street, Boston

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,596,292.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN McGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
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SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.
Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,

AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,

And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.
sept29—1y

LEARNARD & HARTLEY,

Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture,
AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also, WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT THE—

OLD STAND,
136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,
oct 13—3m BOSTON.

CLEARING AND CLOSING-OUT SALE

AT THE

Ladies' Dry and Fancy Goods

STORE,

IN BOSTON!

Nearly opposite the Museum.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.

LADIES, you should by all means attend this Closing-Out sale. We are selling at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.
45 and 47 Tremont Street,
Nearly opposite the
BOSTON MUSEUM.
nov17

SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXPECTING in a little time to remove to Washington street, we offer our entire stock, consisting of elegant

DRAWING ROOM,
LIBRARY,
DINING ROOM
AND CHAMBER

Furniture!

Comprising as good and well selected stock as can be found in Boston, which we will sell at a LARGE DISCOUNT FROM REGULAR PRICES.

Purchasers will find it for their interest to visit our Warerooms, in the spacious Hall over the Passenger Depot of the Boston and Maine Rrilroad, Haymarket Square.

☞ Particular attention given in packing goods to go out of the city, and WITHOUT CHARGE TO THE PURCHASER.

BUCKLEY & BANCROFT,
Over the Passenger Depot, Haymarket Sqare.
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Oysters and Clams!

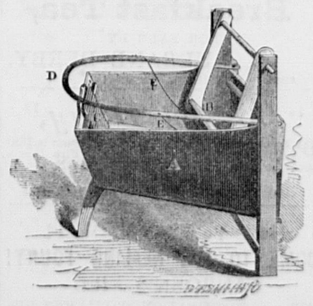
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YOUNG'S
WOBURN FISH MARKET.

THE

UNION WASHER!

Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board combined.



THE Union Washer combines an excellent Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board, in a most compact, convenient and portable form, is pronounced by all who have used it a perfect machine, and just the thing that every family needs.

If desired, a *wringer* may be attached to the back of the box.

This machine is operated with the greatest ease, even by a child eight or ten years old; washes with great rapidity, and does not wear the clothes.

DIRECTIONS.—For washing three sheets, or about that quantity of clothing, put in 10 quarts of water. TRY IT, and save your time, strength and clothes.

Persons wishing to try one of these Machines, with a view of purchasing if satisfactory, can do so by applying to the manufacturer,

C. H. EDMANDS, Summer St., Lynn, Mass.
nov 10—2m

JOB PRINTING NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!

AND

FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,
WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.
oct13—6m

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S
WOBURN FISH MARKET.

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES
MADE TO ORDER.
LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,
No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,
Nearly opposite Park Street Church.
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RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.





After suffering 20 Years with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.
july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. He trusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
JOS. B. McDONALD.
Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,
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For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.
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Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Price 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,
MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.
sept29—3m

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.
SPARROW HORTON,
feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,

FOR

GENTLEMEN'S GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING A SPLENDID STOCK OF

NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF GOODS

—FOR—

Gentlemen's Garments,

EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT

CHAMBERS
BOSTON.

J. PIERPONT COLLINS.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING.

J. Walter Reed,

HAS REMOVED HIS

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING,

TO CHAMBERS

300 Washington St.,

Corner Suffolk Place, (a few doors South of West Street.)

The new stock is one of the LARGEST ever shown in Boston, and will be sold at LOW PRICES. A large assortment of the newest styles of PIECE GOODS is now on hand, which will be sold by the yard or made into garments for

Gentlemen, Youth or Boys.

nov 3—3m

MY CLOCK WON'T GO!

Then have it repaired and

Warranted for Three Years,

AT

J. J. BEALS & CO.'S,

No. 101 Union Street, Haymarket Square, BOSTON,

Having facilities second to none in New England for repairing Clocks of every description, we guarantee perfect satisfaction.

Clocks sent for and returned in Boston without extra charge Orders by mail solicited.
nov 3—3m

FOWLE & CO.,

No. 164 WASHINGTON ST.,

BOSTON.

IMPORTERS OF

CARPETINGS

in every variety of style & quality.

PURCHASERS AT RETAIL

SHOULD EXAMINE THEIR STOCK BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.

FOWLE & CO.,
164 Washington Street.
oct6—2m

Flour,

FEED,

MEAL

AND

GRAIN,

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford. By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.
Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

Also, a large assortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

URBANE DERBY.

PROF. FRANKS & SONS,
OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS.



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.
(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any peilers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience in the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. jan20—1y

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C. S. ADKINS,

DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY, PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
Violin and Guitar Strings.

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

Next door to the Post Office,
Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors*. Annual dividend of 50 PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, $9,049,539.60.

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.
feb24—1y

DR. S. STOCKING.

DENTAL SURGEON,

Having dissolved his connection in business with D. L. Stocking, and having recovered his former health, will resume the duties of his profession, *alone*, at his old Dental Rooms,

No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

His old friends and the public generally will find it to their advantage to consult him in all that relates to the health and preservation of their natural teeth, and the substitution of artificial ones when needed. All operations, such as filling, setting, cleaning and regulating, and *extracting without pain*, will be warranted. Terms moderate.
sept22—6m

Cards printed at this Office

NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market
On MAIN STREET,
WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore, which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,
VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

IN THEIR SEASONS,

POULTRY,
DRIED & SMOKED MEATS
AND
HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

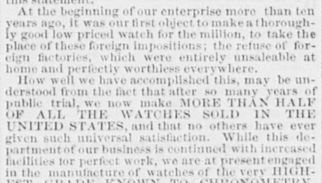
of the very best quality.

GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.
Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.



Anæsthesia.

Nitrous Oxide or Laughing Gas.

COME AND GET YOUR TEETH EXTRACTED without pain, by the above anæsthetic, which is, thousands can testify who have tried it, a blessing to the age in which we live. Positively no pain at all, and can be administered, and Teeth extracted, and the patient go about his business in ten minutes' time. All other operations, such as filling and the Pathological treatment of the teeth, together with Artificial teeth of all kinds, done in the best manner and as soon as it can be done properly.

Call and see specimens at my office.

E. H. DANIELS,
19 Tremont Row, Boston.
sept 1—3m

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, Jr.
Woburn, March 17, 1866.

REASONS WHY THE

American Watch

Made at WALTHAM, Mass.

IS THE BEST.

It is made on the best principle. Its frame is composed of SOLID PLATES. NO jar can interfere with the harmony of its working and no sudden shock can damage its machinery. Every piece is made and finished by machinery (itself famous for its novelty, as well as for its effectiveness) and is therefore properly made. The watch is what all mechanism should be—ACCURATE, SIMPLE, STRONG AND ECONOMICAL. Except some high grades, too costly for general use, foreign watches are chiefly made by women and boys. Such watches are composed of several hundred pieces, screwed and rivited together, and require constant repairs to keep them in any kind of order. All persons who have carried "Geneves" "lepines" and "English Patent Levers," are perfectly well aware of the truth of this statement.

At the beginning of our enterprise more than ten years ago, it was our first object to make a thoroughly good low priced watch for the million, to take the place of these foreign impositions; the refuse of foreign factories, which were entirely unsaleable at home and perfectly worthless everywhere.

How well we have accomplished this, may be understood from the fact that after so many years of public trial, we now make MORE THAN HALF OF ALL THE WATCHES SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES, and that no others have ever given such universal satisfaction. While this department of our business is continued with increased facilities for perfect work, we are at present engaged in the manufacture of watches of the very HIGHEST GRADE KNOWN TO CHRONOMETRY, unequaled by anything hitherto made by ourselves, and unsurpassed by anything made in the world. For this purpose we have the amplest facilities. We have erected an addition to our main building expressly for this branch of our business, and have filled it with the best workmen in our service. New machines and appliances have been constructed which perform their work with consummate delicacy and exactness. The choicest and most approved materials only are used, and we challenge comparison between this grade of our work and the finest imported chronometers. We do not pretend to sell our watches for LESS MONEY than foreign watches, but we do assert without fear of contradiction that for the SAME MONEY our product is incomparably superior. All our watches of whatever grade, are fully warranted, and this warrantee is good at all times against us or our agents in all parts of the world.

CAUTION.—The public are cautioned to buy only of respectable dealers. All persons selling counterfeits will be prosecuted.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY,
182 BROADWAY, N.Y.
nov 3—1m

CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Parian & Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.



PLATED WARE,
Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,

33 Hanover, near Court street, Boston.

HORACE COLLAMORE
DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.
OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,
Woburn Centre.

$1,500 PER YEAR! We want agents everywhere to sell our IMPROVED $20 Sewing Machines. Three new kinds. Under and upper feed. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than $40, which are *fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Bachelder. All* cheap machines are *infringements* and the *seller* or *user* are *liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment.* Circulars *free.* Address, or call upon Shaw & Clark, Biddeford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. dec30—1y

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WOBURN, MASS.

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CHARLES A. SMITH,

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American and Foreign

DRY GOODS,

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SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

GEORGE O. DALTON, M. D.

OFFICE:

No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.

Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,
WOBURN CENTER,

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter,

18 OLD STATE HOUSE, Boston.

June23—1y

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.
feb3—1y

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VETERINARY SURGEON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Splents, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

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FOR SALE.

BOOKS! BOOKS!

STATIONERY,

INTERNAL REVENUE STAMPS,

Newspapers,	Periodicals,
Almanacs,	Diaries,
Sheet Music,	Portfolios,
Engravings,	Photographs,

Picture Frames,

Photograph and Tintype

ALBUMS,

STEREOSCOPES WITH FINE VIEWS!

WALNUT BRACKETS,

Fancy Goods and Children's Toys,

in great variety.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Paper Hangings & Curtains,

Of the latest styles, &c., &c.,

at the

LOWEST CASH PRICES.

The people of Woburn and vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

SPARROW HORTON.

Woburn Bookstore.

Woburn, Feb. 17, 1866.—tf

E. P. WHITE & CO.,

DEALRRS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

86 North St., Boston.

E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.
aug25—6m

Oysters and Clams!

AT

YOUNG'S
WOBURN FISH MARKET.

PERS N'S ORIGINAL

WEATHER STRIP DEPOT,

151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151

Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter.*

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.
oct20—3m

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

B. F. HEBARD & SON,
119 Broad street, Boston, Mass.
oct6—3m

Middlesex Journal.

Devoted to the Local Interests of Woburn, Winchester, Stoneham, Reading, North & South Reading, Wilmington, Burlington and Lexington.

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OVERCOATS!

Overcoats!

The Lowest Prices Yet.

Look at Them.

OVERCOATS AT $8.00 OVERCOATS
" " 10.00
" " 12.00
" " 14.00
" " 16.00
" " 18.00
" " 20.00
" " 23.00
" " 25.00
" " 28.00
" " 30.00
" " 35.00

ALSO,

Men & Boys' Suits,

AND

Furnishing Goods,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

AT

WALKER BROTHERS,

33 Exchange Street,

THREE DOORS FROM DOCK SQ.,

BOSTON.

N. B.—ALL GOODS ARE WARRANTED.
nov17—4t

Smolander's Extract of

BUCHU!

Is sold by all Apothecaries, everywhere, for only ONE DOLLAR. It is a *certain cure* for DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, DROPSY, FEMALE DISORDERS, AND GENERAL DEBILITY, arising from excesses of any kind. Read the following TESTIMONY OF A CITY MISSIONARY:—

CHARLESTOWN, MASS. Nov. 23d, 1865.

Messrs. BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, Mass.:

I feel it a duty I owe to you, and to such of the community as are suffering as I have suffered, to make known through the medium of your advertisements the CURE that, through the blessing of God, you have wrought upon me by using SMONANDER'S BUCHU. I had *suffered over one year* with *Kidney Disease* so bad I *could hardly walk*. I took four bottles of *Smolander's Buchu*, and it *cured me*.

WILLIAM M. MELLEN, City Missionary.

ALL APOTHECARIES SELL THIS VALUABLE PREPARATION, AND ASK ONLY ONE DOLLAR FOR IT. TRY IT.

BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Wholesale Druggists, Boston, *General Agents.*

nov 10

JOHN C. OSGOOD,

DEALER IN

Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,

No. 33 Winter St., Boston.

The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the

Cheapest Market Prices.

JOHN C. OSGOOD.
oct20—3m

DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist.



Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

Woburn Centre. Mass.

Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

SULPHURIC ETHER,

Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain*. Charges moderate.

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10, aug 11 BOSTON.

J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party.

J. M. T.

Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

NOW

OPENING:

DRESS GOODS,

BLANKETS,

FLANNELS,

WOOLENS,

COTTONS,

&c. &c.

And in all Departments, a Great Variety, and at the

Lowest Prices.

Chas. A. Smith,

BANK BUILDING, Woburn.

Sept. 14th, 1866.

A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,

BEING AN

EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH

CLOCK AND WATCH

MAKER,

AS ALSO

JEWELRY DEALER,

would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,

MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE COMMON.

All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $8 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

aug 11—6m

A. B. COFFIN,

ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR at LAW

No. 4 NILES BLOCK, BOSTON

Entrance from Court Square and 33 School St.

Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid*.

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.

oct 6—3m

Bill-heads printed at this office.

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

Druggists & Apothecaries,

No. 5 Wade Block,

Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock!

The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of

Drugs, Chemicals,

ETC., ETC.,

and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with

RELIABLE GOODS.

A full assortment of all the most popular

PATENT MEDICINES

OF THE DAY,

Constantly on hand. Our stock of

SOAPS,

PERFUMERY,

TOOTH BRUSHES,

ETC.,

will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of

Physicians' Prescriptions,

and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.

☞ If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.

We shall make a specialty of

Fresh Herbs,

AND SHALL KEEP

A FULL VARIETY.

We have also added to the Stock

SOME CHOICE BRANDS

OF

CIGARS

AND

TOBACCO!

CIGARS

BY THE BOX,

VERY LOW.

☞ We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public. ☜

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

No. 5 Wade Block.

J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

Choice English

Breakfast Tea,

FOR SALE BY

URBANE DERBY.

aug4

"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,

INSURANCE AGENT,

feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

ASHES OF ROSES.

O wild November wind, blow back to me
The withered leaves that drift adown the past;
Waft me some murmur of that Summer sea
On which youth's fairy fleet of dreams was cast;
Return to me the beautiful No More,
O wild November wind restore, restore!

November wind, in what dim, lonesome cave
Languish the tender, plumed gales of spring?
No more their dances dimple o'er the wave,
Nor freighted pinions song and perfume bring;
Those gales are fled, that dimpling sea is dark,
And cloudy ghosts clutch at each mast-like bark.

O wild, wild wind, where are the Summer airs
That kissed the roses of that Long Ago—
Taking them captive, swooned in blissful snares,
To let them perish? Now no roses blow
In the waste gardens thou art laying bare—
Where are my heart's bright roses, where, oh where?

Hast thou no answer, thou unpitying gale,
No gentle whisper from the past to me—
No snatches of sweet song, no tender tale,
No melting murmur of that Summer sea?
Are all my dreams wrecked on the Nevermore?
Vain is thy taunt, destroyer; Spring once more
Thy mad and ruthless ruin shall restore!

THE FASHIONS.

Day by day the diminution in the width and length of dresses may be perceived; although, up to the present time, only in walking dress. For the evening wear the skirt retains its graceful length. The "Empire" make is more and more cut on the bias, and with a short waist, the upper part of the breadths being very narrow, and setting close to the figure, whilst at the bottom they are left their full width, and, indeed, have additional gores put in, reaching a short distance up the skirt. Peplums of the same material as the dress are still in favor, particularly for full and evening dress.

Materials of a thick and rich texture now make their appearance as the colder weather approaches. For visiting dress plain silks will be preferred to those with a pattern, though stripes are still worn; and this is easily accounted for, the style of wearing a colored jupon with the skirt over, frequently of a different color, necessitating that it should be plain. This same fashion also causes black taffetas to be much in favor.

Plaid is likely to be much used for trimming, both for dresses, petticoats, and out-of-door garments, and even bonnets. It is specially suitable as a trimming for black taffetas; for instance, the dress trimmed with a bias of the same same material down the front, with a row of plaid buttons upon it, and a petticoat and small circular of the same plaid.

Speaking of trimmings we must not omit to mention that jet seems likely to be one of the most fashionable. Cameo buttons, also, of Rhenish stone or lava, as well as an endless variety of passementerie, are much admired. Dresses are also trimmed with biases of satin edged with a piping of another color; thus, a nut-brown taffetas, with a bias of satin of the same color, bordered on each side with a piping of pink velvet. Rouleaux of satin form a pretty trimming. Small bodies of colored taffetas, with a gimpe of muslin or embroidered jaconet, make a very *distingue* finish to the toilette, and can be worn with different dresses. These little corslets have very fine imperceptible steels in them; they are frequently trimmed with black or white guipure.

There are some charming bodies made of cachemire, quite plain, without plait, and embroidered entirely over with small white or black beads. The same idea has been very tastefully carried out on a morning dress made of sky-blue cachemire, the two breadths in front, opened, being covered with white beads; the large revers on the sleeves, the epaulettes and the front of the body embroidered to match.

There is an effort being made in some of our leading houses to make the bonnets more bonnet-like, but at present the "Catalane" and the "Lamballe" are very perceptibly the favorites. Some are being worn without strings, or very narrow ones tied behind under the chignon, whilst others, on the contrary, have only a very small ornament placed on the summit of the head, with a wide barbe of lace carried across, so as completely to cover it, and tied in a large bow under the chin; but, doubtless, as the winter sets in a more comfortable coiffure will make its appearance, and, should the real bonnet of former days once more become le mode, it will be warmly welcomed by some, whilst others, to whom these small head-dresses are, we must own, decidedly becoming, will find that our clever modistes will make the new coiffures equally charming.—*Le Follet.*

A girl, young, pretty, and above all very gifted, lately presented herself before a Parisian lawyer, to ascertain how to oblige a man she loved to marry her in spite of himself. The desired information was given—she was simply to remain on three occasions alone with him and then swear before a judge that he was her lover, producing witnesses who would make oath to having seen them together, &c. She afterwards called for further information and to report progress, and a fortnight afterwards the young lady again knocked at the door of the counsel's room. No sooner was she within than she flung herself into a chair saying that the walk had made her breathless. Her counsel endeavored to reassure her, made her enhale salts, and even proposed to unloose her garments. "It is useless, Monsieur," she said, "I am much better." "Well, now tell me the name of the fortunate mortal."

"Well, then, the fortunate mortal, be it known to you, is—yourself," said the young beauty, bursting into a laugh, "I love you; I have been here three times tete-a-tete with you, and my four witnesses are below, ready and willing to accompany me to a magistrate," gravely continued the narrator. The lawyer, thus caught, had the good sense not to get angry. The most singular fact of all this is that he adores his young wife, who, by the way, makes an excellent housekeeper.

"NOTHING TO WEAR."

We mentioned a few days since that a professional gentleman in New York, who, it is said, "advertises largely," has brought a suit against an insurance company for the insurance on his daughter's wardrobe, lately destroyed by fire. The company, it is said, were astounded by the magnitude of the items presented in the claim, and refused to settle. Hence the action in court, which brought out a list of the young lady's wardrobe, as drawn up under her own supervision.

The descriptive list occupies a column and a half in the New York Herald, and embraces nearly five hundred articles. Among them is enumerated a satin dress, appraised at $2,500, and another at $1,500, the whole wardrobe being valued at $21,000. The Herald says:

It is very easy to say that a wardrobe like that enumerated in this schedule is extravagant; but the fact is that the list scarcely gives a full idea of the extravagance of American toillettes. Twenty-one thousand dollars is an immense sum to have invested in clothing; but it must be remembered that the original cost of these articles was much more than $21,000. Many of the dresses, shawls, bonnets, and other portions of the young lady's costume had been more or less worn, and the prices affixed only represent their values at the time they were burned, which is all the loser has the right to recover. For example, "nine pairs of boots and shoes" would be very cheap at $45; a "dust wrapper from Cashmere," could hardly be purchased for $18; "four magnificent opera cloaks" are valued at $175, when one of them would have cost that sum if new; cloth cloaks at $8, to $10, and $12 must have been much used to be worth only that amount of money. No fashionable milliner could sell "four bonnets, some exceedingly elegant," for $100, but would charge as much for one elegant bonnet. It is evident, then, that to get at the real cost of the wardrobe of a young lady of fashion in this metropolis we must add several thousand dollars to the amount claimed. The articles when first purchased must have cost $30,000 at least.

We learn from this schedule that to make a figure in the fashionable world a young lady requires twenty-six robes of silk and satin, two of velvet, twenty-four dresses of poplin, cashmere, grenadine, and Swiss and India muslin, with underskirts and bodies of silk; nine jackets to wear over these dresses in the house; seventeen cloaks, mantillas, and capes for outdoor wear; fifteen muslin skirts, beside the underskirts already enumerated; twenty-one sets of flounces and capes of lace, of all qualities, from Honiton to Maltese; and, in addition to all these, a quantity of worn dresses, cloaks, and jackets too numerous to mention. We must take into consideration, moreover, the fact that the lady was probably not deprived of all of her clothing by the fire. The schedule shows what she lost; but we have no means of ascertaining what she saved. Yet it is only by getting at this unknown quantity that we shall be able to realize the full extent of the young lady's requirements. At present we really feel that the list we publish does her some injustice. Twenty-six silk robes and twenty-four other dresses would not satisfy any but the most reasonable and economical Flora McFlimsey. There are houses in the Fifth avenue that could reveal much more extensive wardrobes. The jewels and jewelry, too, which cost more heavily than dresses, as many a husband and father knows, are not set down in this list, which must consequently be pronounced inadequate. Still it will serve to convey to the uninitiated and to posterity some conception of the expenses of American fashionable life.

INFANTICIDE IN FRANCE.—There has been formed in Paris a much-wanted Humane Society for the Protection of Infants. It is calculated that 15,000 children die every year in the neighborhood of Paris for want of proper care, and 100,000 in the whole of France. This is in great part due to the habit still so prevalent in this country of putting children out to nurse. There is a public establishment, the Direction Generale, connected with the department of "Public Assistance," for providing proper nurses for those whose health or occupation oblige them to part with their children. It is very well administered, and does not lose sight of the nurse and her charge, who receive regular visits from a medical man attached to the direction. But only a comparative small number of nurses are engaged by the intermediary of this establishment. Far the greater number are provided with nurslings by the *bureaux de placement*, which exist in all parts of Paris. These are private speculations, in which the proprietor receives a certain sum from the nurse whom he recommends, and his only interest is to provide her with a child to carry back with her to her village. This done, and having received his fee, all further thought of the treatment the child may be subjected to is dismissed from his mind. The natural result of this system is an enormous mortality in the first year after birth—more than one-half of all that are born. Dr. Doxne, the rector of the Academy of Montpellier, called attention twenty years ago to this state of things, but without any practical effect in improving it. It is said that since he raised in vain a warning voice to call public attention to the question, not less than 300,000 children born in Paris have been literally made away with in the provinces. To these must be added the huge contingent from other large towns, such as Lyons and Marseilles. This is a plan for checking the too rapid increase of the population which Malthus did not contemplate.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.—A young lady the other day, in the course of a lecture (after the manner of Miss Anna E. Dickinson), said: "Get married, young man, and be quick about it, too. Don't wait for the millenium, hoping that the girls may turn into angels before you trust yourself with one of them. A pretty thing you'd be alongside an angel, wouldn't you—you brute? Don't wait another day, but right now—this very night—ask some nice, industrious girl to go into partnership with you, to clear your pathway of thorns, and plant it with flowers."

TREATMENT OF THE CONQUERED.—The *Westminister Review* for October, 1866, article 1st, says:

"There is scarcely a single accredited maxim of sound statemanship which has not been flagrantly violated in the course of the English administration of Ireland. If it be expedient, in the case of a nation composed of the most incongruous races, to exchange a forcible and mechanical adhesion of one to the other for a friendly or chemical fusion, in Ireland the opposite policy has been throughout notoriously pursued. If, in the exercise of ostensible dominion, it be the only safe and cunning policy to engage in the responsibilities of government, the national leaders as they emerge from the obscure ranks of the subject population, in order to distract their turbulent fancies by active and honorable occupation, and to win their sympathies by a generous confidence; in Ireland every Celtic aspirant to distinction was exceptionally blessed if he escaped being branded as a traiter and hunted as a slave. Again if it be no more than the most selfish astuteness to conciliate the loyalty of the mass of the population by withdrawing from their sight every memento of absolute feuds and present bondage, all that might by possibility irritate without assisting to control, and might stimulate the most virulent antipathies without effecting even a plausible show of compensatory good, here, too, the sins of England are written in letters of blood."

"What do the Arabs of the desert live on, pa?" asked a roguish girl of her father. "Fudge, Nelly, that is an old conundrum. They live on sand which is (sandwiches) there." "Yes, but, pa, how do they get 'em?" "Well, really, Nelly, you have me there. I give it up." "Why, pa, you know the sons of Ham are bred and mustard in the wilderness." "Come, come, my daughter, that is too killing; don't say another word." "Oh, yes, do tell me what they eat on their sandwiches?" "Eat on 'em; why, what do they eat on 'em? "Butter, to be sure?" "Butter! How do they get their butter?" "Why, you know, pa, that when Lot's wife was turned into a pillar of salt, all the family *but her* ran into the wilderness."

WHAT A SPIDER EATS PER DIEM.—In order to test what a spider could do in the way of eating, we arose about day-break one morning to supply his fine web with a fly. At first however, the spider did not come from his retreat, so we peeped among the leaves and there discovered that an earwig had been caught, and was now being feasted upon. The spider left the earwig, rolled up the fly, and at once returned to his "first course." This was at half-past 5 a. m., in September. At 7 a. m. the earwig had been demolished, and the spider, after resting awhile, and probably enjoying a nap, came down for the fly which he had finished at 9 a. m. A little after 9, we supplied him with a daddy-long-legs, which was eaten by noon. At 1 o'clock a blow-fly was greedily seized, and then immediately, while apparantly no worse for his previous indulgence, he commenced on the blow-fly. During the day and towards the evening a great many small green flies, or what are properly termed midges, had been caught in the web; of these we counted 120, all dead, and fast prisoners in the spider's net. Soon after dark, provided with a lantern, we went to examine whether the spider was suffering from indigestion or in any other way from his previous meals; instead, however, of being thus affected, he was employed in rolling up together the various little green midges, which he then took to his retreat and ate. This process he repreated, carrying up the lots in little detatchments until the web was eaten, for the web and its contents were bundled up together. A slight rest of about an hour was followed by the most industrious web-making process, and before daybreak another web was ready to be used in the same way. Taking the relative size of the spider and the creatures it ate and applying this to a man, it would be somewhat as follows: At daybreak a small alligator was eaten; at 7 a. m., a lamb; at 9 a.m., a young camelopard; at 1 o'clock, a sheep, and during the night, 120 larks. This, we believe, would be a very fair allowance for a man during twenty-four hours; and could we find one gifted with such an appetite, and such digestion, we can readily comprehend how he might spin five miles of web without killing himself, provided he possessed the necessary machinery.

A young married woman is just the last person in the world who ought to be left neighborless. Accustomed all her life to the pleasant talk of her mother, and the stimulating disputatiousness of her younger sisters, she is utterly lonely as soon as her lord gets back again into his groove of work which he has temporarily left for the purposes of the honeymoon. The charming nest becomes a very palace of boredom and weariness, and she may even find herself committing the monstrous crime of half-wishing herself at home again among the polite wranglings of her unmarried sisters, who at all events keep her from being dull... Women are a great mystery. According to Haller, women bear hunger longer than men; according to Plutarch, they can resist the effects of wine better; according to Unger, they grow older and never bald; according to Pliney, they are never attacked by lions—on the contrary, they will run after "lions;" and according to Gunter, they can talk a few!

THE LORD'S PRAYER.—A maiden knelt in the twilight hour, and clasping her hands, fervently breathed forth: "Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name."

A mother in deep agony of grief, gazed on her child, sleeping her long, last sleep, a smile wreathing her soft lips, and white hands folded across that still and pulseless heart, and kneeling there, the living beside the dead, she prays: "Thy will be done."

As the early beams of the orient gilds the sleeping land, a widow, with her suffering little ones, chilled by poverty and woe, bows at the throne of grace, and fervently prays: "Give us this day our daily bread."

An aged father, as his loved and loving boy goes forth from his paternal care to brave the chill frowns of life, kneels beside him on the eve of his departure, and pleads: "Lead him not into temptation, but deliver him from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever, and ever, Amen.

TELL YOUR FRIENDS.—Tell your friends what Coe's Cough Balsam has done for you; if it has cured your child of a raking Cough, a violent attack of croup, a sore throat, or avoided a threatning fever, which it certainly will do, tell your friends of it, that they may also use it. Old and young, rich and poor, all say it is the cheapest and best cough remedy in the world. For dyspepsia, indigestion, pain in the stomach, souring of food, languor, flatulency, and general debility, be sure to use Coe's Dyspepsia Cure.

INDIA RUBBER TYPE.—A manufactory for making printer's type of vulcanized India-rubber, has just been started at Dalton. This new kind of type is said to be as quickly and easily made, and to be fully equal in quality and durability to the common type, the cost being only one-third of the latter. It offers the advantage of less weight as compared with metal type, and it can be remolded when worn. It presents particular advantages for stereotyping. The invention is American, and is said to be making rapid progress in England.

What should a man do when his boots leak? Take to his pumps of course.

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WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

WOBURN:

SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1866.

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E. MARCHANT, Proprietor.

THANKSGIVING.

Once more we have enjoyed the Thanksgiving, which has come down to us hallowed by many generations, and endeared by fond recollections. This year, President Johnson, having a kind forethought of our New England time of observance, has issued his proclamation for the whole country so as to accommodate the North, whose harvests are later gathered than those of the South. The cessation of war; the re-uniting of the people; the resumption of political business, and social relations, are very properly subjects of national rejoicing, and make this festival a glad one indeed. It is to be wished that the whole nation may hereafter honor the New England institution by a similar unity, whether the President should issue his proclamation for that purpose or not. It will be a band to keep us together; will greatly cheer New England people, who may reside South and West, and diffuse joy and wholesome moral and religious influences throughout the land.

It was the custom of the fathers of New England to acknowledge the hand of God in the ordering of his providence, in agreement with the custom of the church in the Bible times. The Puritans had not any day of festivity, unless we so denominate Thanksgiving day, and though with them it was a day of solemnity and sincere devotion, it was also one of a joyful character. More than in modern times, the early settlers of New England were social and friendly as neighbors and friends, and made the short days and long evenings of winter cheerful with friendly intercourse and generous hospitality.

The past year has been one of great fertility, and we have immense store houses filled with the products of the earth. We have enough and to spare for foreign nations, so as to employ our railroads and ships in transportation, and pay in part for our importations from beyond the sea. No one among us should be left to suffer and perish, by reason of poverty, when such abundance is found. To the Giver of all Good is to be ascribed Praise and Thanksgiving for the sunshine and rain, and all other favoring influences for the growth of vegetation. Not alone the farmers, whose eyes should moisten with gratitude as often as they look upon the fruits of the earth in their barns and store-houses, but every one, who considers that the earth supports us all, should lift up their hearts in daily thanks.

The day of Thanksgiving is now past, but not the duty of giving daily thanks for "mercies which are new every morning." It is one of the most pleasing duties man can perform, if he is at all suitably impressed with the multitude and value of Divine mercies. From what we have heard by the papers and other sources, of the celebration on Thursday, there were more than usual in attendance on the public religious services, and less of political preaching than usual. Indeed, there is no special call at present, in the exigencies of the country, for other than a strictly devotional cast of services. Richmond, Charleston, Nashville, Savannah, Mobile, Louisville and other Southern cities, came into the arrangement cheerfully, and lifted up their voices with us in thanks. Beautiful spectacle!

Day of sacred and pleasant memories! Thou hast come and gone once more, and diffused thy blessings. Eye has met eye, hand, hand, and heart, heart. Footsteps long a stranger have again been heard in the old homesteads. Time in many cases has stamped old age with his most ripened marks, but beneath the snows of age the warm heart has beat, and the joy as of childhood has burst forth.

Hallowed day! Those who have passed away have been remembered. Borne in mind in places where they were wont to be met in cordial greeting, and the endearments of home. New voices hail the day, as little children come to understand its meaning and fellowship its joy. The whole nation has felt more or less its exhileration, and discerned its sacred import. The poor have been remembered and been thankful, and the benevolent have received a reward in their own bosoms.

CAN IT BE TRUE?—The New York Observer, a religious paper of great influence, has the following startling intelligence, which we hope for the sake of the Church, will be found to be untrue. The idea that a christian church can retain articles thus obtained, is monstrous.

SEND IT BACK.—Rev. Dr. Adger, of South Carolina, in a letter to Dr. Backus, of Baltimore, lately published the following statement, and vouches for the fact: "When Gen. Sherman's army passed through Winsboro', S. C., a Capt. F——, and six others of that army, robbed one of the ruling elders of the Scion Presbyterian Church there of an elegant communion set, the gift of a dying female of the same, costing in New York two hundred dollars, and having the Church's name and the donor's name engraved on each article."

Dr. Adger makes the following additional statement, which, for the honor of humanity as well as Christianity, we hope cannot be true:

"A certain congregation of your body now has that communion set, which Capt. F. presented to them, and are now using it for their communion purposes, with those names of Scion Church and its dying sister staring them in the face, as they eat the bread and drink the wine which set forth the body and blood of our common Master?"

The idea that a Christian church can celebrate the holy ordinance of the Lord's Supper in the use of vessels thus obtained is too monstrous to be entertained for a moment, unless they are held only until the church from which they were taken can be ascertained. This notice may assist the church in ascertaining it, and we are sure that if the sacred vessels should be sent to Dr. Adger, Columbia, S. C., he would see that they were restored to the church to which they belong.

The Fenians are still alive. Stephens, it is supposed has gone to Europe to lead affairs there. Arms are being received in New York from all parts of the country. Massachusetts takes the lead in the contributions. A ship load or two it is thought will soon be sent over to Ireland. John Bull is about to send 20 militia regiments to Ireland for the purpose of overawing the Fenians. It will cost the old chap a pile of money before complete quiet is restored to the Emerald Isle.

While almost everything is going down in price, printing paper is going up. Not content with making an hundred per cent. profit, as they have done for the three years past, paper makers now demand that editors and publishers shall work without pay or reward, and turn everything over to them. The Portland Transcript very truthfully says, "Nobody is making money out of the business except the paper makers; editors, publishers and printers are slaving for their benefit. If the public don't come to the rescue and cheerfully assume their fair share of the burden, newspaper publishers may as well hang up—and let the paper-makers see how they can get along without them."

Brigham Young is greatly troubled about the young women of Lowell, who he thinks outnumber the men about 14,000. He proposes that 2,000 Mormons should go there and take seven wives apiece, and thus make all these girls happy at once. We have no doubt but that many *spin*-sters there would be glad of such a raid.

No rain has fallen at Pekin, China, for the past eleven months—and the hair of the Celestials has got to be so dry in consequence, that many poor fellows have had their cues cut off, and some of the Mandarines are in a snarl.

English papers state that the Monument to the late Col. Colt, of pistol fame, is to cost $25,000, to be 60 feet high, and to *revolve*, after the manner of his pistols.

An immense amount of lumber has been got out the past year—in Maine, on the Machias river alone, over 35,000,000 feet—an increase of 10,000,000 on last year. The idea is to rush all they can into market before a fall, which must come soon.

GENEROUS.—Propeller Davis, of world-wide fame, proposes to publish a holiday paper, an advertising sheet, to be distributed gratuitously, one half of the receipts, over expenses, to be devoted to the widows and orphans of the lost fishermen of Gloucester. Davis is not only an original, in every sense of the word, but a man of great energy and tact, bubbling over with genuine hospitality.

The African Times has a letter from the Gold coast of West Africa, from which we learn that Quow Daddy, the King of Aquapim, died about the end of June last. The death of the King was the signal for the sacrificing of some thirty-five or forty men and women connected with his household. Such a wholesale slaughter of human beings within the jurisdiction of the government of the Queen of England has not been known or heard of, even in the remotest or most savage and uncivilized regions of this protectorate, for the last sixty years. Three or four of those who were thus selected to accompany the King into another state of existence, were his wives.

At a meeting of the members of Co. K, 39th Mass. Vols., on the decease of their late companion in arms, W. C. Stowers, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, We, as members of Co. K, 39th Mass. Vols., have been called together to mourn, in the Providence of God, the loss of one of our comrades,

Resolved, That in the death of our lamented brother, WILLIAM CHOATE STOWERS, we lose one who was highly esteemed and beloved, having endeared himself to all by his amiable disposition, universal cheerfulness, under all circumstances, and strict attention to duty, whether on the field of battle or in camp, willing and eager to share the fortunes of his comrades.

Resolved, That we sympathize most deeply, as soldiers can sympathize, with the relatives and friends of the deceased, bound to them by the tenderest of earthly ties.

Resolved, That a copy of the above resolutions be furnished to the family of the deceased, and published in the *Middlesex Journal*.

C. K. CONN,
A. P. BARRETT,
J. F. LESLIE,
} Committee.

Mr. James Johnson, a veteran of the war of 1812, died in Winchester, Mass., recently, in the 85th year of his age.

WOBURN LOCALS.

An effort is now being made to establish a Congregational Church in Lexington. Several gentlemen of Boston have purchased an academy building in that town, and the lot of land on which it stands, for the sum of $2,500, and made a free gift of it for the purpose. The Woburn Conference of Congregational Churches have taken it upon themselves to convert the building thus purchased into a church, capable of seating 250 persons. The cost to the Conference will be $3,000. The First Congregational Church of Woburn is to raise $1000 of the amount, and a contribution was taken up last Sabbath for this purpose.

REAL ESTATE SALES.—Stephen Dow, Esq., has purchased the land on the corner of Pleasant and Canal streets, belonging to the heirs of the late Col. John Wade. The lot contains upwards of three acres, and is one of the most desirable in town for building or other purposes. We understand the lot will soon be improved by Mr. Dow.

Mr. Dow has also purchased two dwelling houses on Pleasant street, immediately opposite the Wade lot, one of which was occupied for several years by E. J. Jenks, Esq., Cashier of the First National Bank of Woburn; the other is the large double house on the corner of a private way leading in the direction of Rag Rock, and occupied for a year or two past, until recently, by George H. Conn, Esq.

E. J. Jenks, Esq., has purchased the dwelling house on the corner of Warren and Canal streets, recently owned by Mr. David Tillson. It is his intention to erect a new house on the premises next spring.

NEW BUILDINGS.—We are pleased to learn that arrangements are making to erect a large number of new buildings in Woburn during the next spring and summer. They will consist mostly of dwelling houses, but some stores will be among them. Both are greatly needed.

HORSE RAIL ROAD.—Nothing will be done during the winter season on the contemplated horse rail road between Woburn Center and North Woburn; but when spring opens the work will be pushed forward to completion.

We hear a great deal said just now about improvements on the streets. We wish these improvements might be extended to some of the street crossings on our highways. As at present constituted, the most of them are a nuisance in wet weather, and of no sort of consequence at any other time.

RUN AWAY.—On Monday forenoon last, a horse belonging to Dea. Stephen Bichardson, while standing in front of the residence of Ephraim Cutter, M. D., became frightened, and dashed the chaise to which he was attached against the corner of Dr. Cutter's fence, overturning the vehicle, and making a wreck of the same. The horse cleared himself from the ruins, and no farther damage was done. The chaise was an old one, and the loss is not heavy.

On Monday next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., Samuel F. Thompson, Esq., will sell at public auction, all the wood and timber on about thirty acres of land situated in Winchester and Stoneham. The growth consists of white and pitch pine, oak, maple, &c., is of superior quality, and many of the trees are suitable for sawing purposes, and for posts. This sale should attract attention. See notice in advertising columns.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—We learn that work will be commenced on the contemplated new Catholic Church early next spring. It is the intention to erect the structure, which will be an ornament to Woburn, on the site of the present Church. The old house of worship will be removed to another location, and used for religious purposes until the new is completed.

Simonds & Son, at their extensive factory, near the depot, are making great improvements, in the way of introducing new machinery, &c. Their establishment is a perfect hive of industry, and if they do not coin money, it is no fault of theirs.

The proprietor of the *Journal* has recently made quite extensive additions to his Job Printing Office, and is prepared to do all work entrusted to him in a manner sure to give satisfaction. All work will be ready for delivery at the time promised.

Telegraphic communication has been opened between Woburn and Boston.

The Billiard Saloon, over the Journal office, has passed into new hands, and is now conducted on temperance principles.

Freight trains are now bringing to town the bricks to be used on the new depot building.

Overcoats and Business Suits are now furnished by G. R. Gage & Co., at a reduction of more than 50 per cent. on former prices. See advertising columns.

Business in most of our leading manufacturing establishments, is now very dull, and many of those who usually find employment therein, are idle, or engaged in other pursuits. We trust a favorable change will take place soon.

Now is the time to subscribe for magazines and newspapers. Young gentlemen cannot do a better thing than step in to Mr. Horton's Bookstore, where they can find a large assortment, and subscribe for some choice monthly, to be sent as a present during the coming year to the young lady of their choice.

We regret to learn that Rev. Eli Fay, pastor of the Unitarian Church in this place, is not in good health. We trust he may have a speedy recovery, and long continue to adorn the position which he so ably fills.

THE GRAND MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT, to be given at the First Congregational Church, on Thursday evening of next week, promises to eclipse in brilliancy any musical entertainment ever given in Woburn. The editor of the Boston Transcript, who had the pleasure of listening to a similar concert given in Boston, says:—

The concert at Music Hall on Saturday evening, under the direction of Mr. Henry Carter, was one of the finest musical entertainments of the season. The large audience gathered on the occasion abundantly testified that such was their opinion by the unstinted applause bestowed on nearly every piece, for most of which a repetition was vehemently demanded. It would be invidious to mention names where all the singers did so well. The youthful soloists surprised all listeners by the extent of their culture, as well as by the freshness and melody of their voices. The organ accompaniments were admirable, and the singing of the bass vocalist of the evening of a very high order. It is rarely that any assembly has enjoyed an opportunity to hear better music than regaled the ears of those fortunate enough to attend Mr. Carter's last concert, which we hope will be again given at some future time for the benefit of those unaware of the musical delight of one of his entertainments.

Christmas Presents, Games and Toys, and Holiday Gifts, are to be found at Horton's bookstore, in abundance. See advertisements.

John Cummings, Jr., Esq., with his usual liberality, presented all the men in his employ with a fine turkey for Thanksgiving.

Rev. Swift Byington, of Stoneham, will preach in the First Congregational Church to-morrow.

QUERY.—There is quite a desire on the part of many of our citizens to know the whereabouts of a certain silver pitcher, won in a "target shoot" at North Woburn, some six weeks since.

Nine months and upwards have passed away since an alarm of fire was given in Woburn. A like exemption from the destroying element is not within the memory of any living citizen.

The firm of F. C. Taylor & Co., have dissolved, and a new copartnership has been formed, under the name of C. T. Henchman & Co. They will carry on the Flour and Grain business, at the store under the Journal office. Their stock is large and of the best quality. See their advertisements.

The new steam fire engine was out on Wednesday, and proceeded to North Woburn, for the purpose of filling a reservoir with water. This was done, the steamer playing through 1150 feet of hose, with a rise of about fifty feet. The reservoir was one of those built by Tuttle, of Lowell, of cement, which have never held water. This has been newly lined with brick, laid in cement, and if this course proves serviceable, the reservoirs on Academy Hill will be treated in a similar manner. While out, the steamer forced a stream of water through 1050 feet of hose, in a horizontal direction, 129 feet, when working with only 85 pounds of steam. With a full head, the machine would have done much better.

The Wyman wood auction will take place to-day (Saturday,) if the weather prove fair, if not, on the first fair business day.

TURKIES.—A very large quantity of turkies have been sold by our market men this week, at prices ranging all the way from 25 to 31 cents, as per quality. These prices, though high, are far below what they would have been, had the weather been severely cold.

THANKSGIVING DAY was mild and for the most part quite pleasant, though some rain fell in the afternoon. The attendence at the Baptist Church, where union services were held, was quite large. The sermon was by the pastor of the Church, Rev. Mr. Townley, and was an effort every way worthy of the occasion, and well calculated to sustain the high reputation which Mr. Townley has acquired as an able writer, and an eloquent pulpit orator. Mr. Townley took for his text a portion of the 3d verse of the 126th Psalm, "The Lord hath done great things for us."

He said the custom prevalent among the Swiss peasantry at the sunset hour, was for one of their number to blow the Alphine horn from one of the highest peaks, and shout "Praise to the Lord." This was taken up by others and repeated from peak to peak, and all the people bowed down in prayer. So our President, in like manner proclaimed this a day of Thanksgiving, and the States having chimed in, we bow down in prayer and Thanksgiving to Almighty God for his great goodness to us as a people. We had great cause for thanksgiving as a nation. That great pestilence, the cholera, had not decimated our country, as it had other lands. Our crops had been safely garnered, and although there was not so large a yield in particular localities as in in some years, yet there was an average crop. In the South, the wheels of industry had been set in motion, and the planters had raised more than in any year since the commencement of the late war. The great financial crisis, which was predicted at the termination of the late war, had been averted. Manufactures had been prospered. There had been great revivals of religion, and thousands had been converted to God. All this had not been brought about by chance, but by the Lord, who hath done great things for us. Providence had done more for this than any other nation, since the days of the Jewish Theocracy. The speaker then went on to show, in an able manner, what God had done for this nation, from the landing of the Pilgrims to the present day. The foundation of the nation was rightly laid, and the superstructure must be right, if the government was upheld by religious principle. Our forefathers built the school house side by side with the church, so that we might raise up intelligent freemen, capable of governing a free country.

"Righteousness exalteth a nation;" and the future of this nation could be foretold now, if we knew whether religion was to be a corner stone in the government, or like Pagan nations we were to follow false gods.

We have, of course, only touched upon a few of the leading points in the sermon, as anything like a fair report would exceed our limited space to-day.

Rev. M. M. Parkhurst, of the M. E. Church, assisted in the services, by reading the Scriptures, and importuning the Throne of Grace, in an earnest and fervent manner.

The singing was unusually fine, especially the Thanksgiving Anthem, which was executed with marked effect and power. The exercises were closed by singing the hymn, commencing with—

"My country! 'tis of thee."

WINCHESTER.

ACCIDENT.—Brooks Richardson, while at work in Whitney's machine shop last Saturday morning, was struck on the head, just above the temple, by a piece of wood which had been forced off a board while in process of being sawed by a circular saw, under the direction of Mr Buxton. The wound was dressed by Dr. Chapin, and the injured man is doing well, although the blow was a severe one. It was a narrow escape from a serious result.

BURGLARY.—Last Sunday the librarians of the Sunday School connected with the Orthodox Church, discovered that the library doors had been forced open, the books taken out and scattered around. How many of the books were taken has not been ascertained. The parties in this sacrilegious transaction are known, and it is to be hoped that if they committed this act in a thoughtless moment, they will say so, and reform their ways ere it is too late.

RELIGIOUS.—The anniversary of the first religious service of the present Unitarian Society in Lyceum Hall, will be observed on Sunday, Dec. 2d, by appropriate services. The new arrangement of seats will go into effect on this day. Those who have not secured seats as yet, will make an early application to the Sexton, or Mr. Brown.

SOCIAL ASSEMBLY.—The second social assembly of the season will come off in Lyceum Hall, on Friday evening, Dec. 7th, under the direction of the same Committee as the last, and with the same general arrangements.

LECTURES.—Our people are to enjoy a rich treat this month, in a course of Historical Lectures from Rev. Dr. John Lord. They will commence Tuesday evening, Dec. 4th, and are to be six in number. The subjects are as follows:—Mohammed and Saracenic Conquests; the Crusades and their Influence; Adolphus and the Thirty Years War; the Jesuits and the Counter Reformation; Mirabeau and the French Revolution; Michael Angelo, or the Revival of Art. We congratulate the citizens of the town on the entertainment provided for them, chiefly through the instrumentality and effort of one of their number, whose name we are not at liberty to mention. It is no exaggeration to say, that Dr. Lord has no superior as a Historic Lecturer in the country. Two Lectures will be delivered a week, probably on Tuesday and Friday evenings.

EXCELSIOR.

THE METHODISTS.—By the census of 1860, as compared with that of 1850, it appears that there are now 19,883 Methodist churches in this country; an increase of 6,545 in three years—more than two churches a day for the whole ten years. It is estimated that from 1860 to the present time, it will average 3 1-4 churches per day, and that they will have dedicated 1,600 new churches in 1866, or five per day for every working day in the year. The Methodist Centenary offering thus far reported amounts to $1,436,628, and yet not one in ten of the large cities, or of the twenty thousand churches have been heard from. Most of the offerings thus far are devoted to the founding or endowment of institutions of learning.

MASSACHUSETTS RAILROADS IN DISFAVOR.—Boston newspapers, acting in concert with the Board of Trade, have opened a vigorous campaign against the leading railroad corporations of Massachusetts, to whose mismanagement and indifference to public interests serious consequences are attributed. Josiah Quincy, on Monday, read a paper before the Board of Trade, designed to establish the fact that Massachusetts and Boston have suffered because there have been no efforts made to increase railroad facilities to the Hudson River.

About a thousand buildings are in course of erection on the burnt district of Portland, or are under contract. One master mason has four hundred and fifty men in his employ, and the pay roll of all the hands in the district amounts to $75,000 per week. The streets have been widened and straightened, squares laid out and the section generally much improved.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN'S WATCH.—The Massachusetts Historical Society, it is stated, offered $3,000 for an old-fashioned English watch, which formerly belonged to Benjamin Franklin, and is now in the possession of a gentleman residing near Lancaster, Pa. The case is of heavy silver, and the movement is still in good running order.

A calculation of the salaries paid to preachers in this country, and the number of sermons preached, according to the New York Observer, shows that the average price paid for sermons, taking the land through, is three cents a sermon.

The value of the entire real estate of New Orleans in 1860, was but $83,000,000; the value now reaches $123,000,000, an increase of $40,000,000 over the palmiest days of the city.

SOLON ROBINSON'S NOVEL. Solon Robinson, the veteran Agricultural Editor, has written a novel for THE NEW-YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE. The publication will commence on the fifth of December.

During the war government spent $4,000,000, per year on coal—now less than $400,000.

Among the wedding presents received by a Springfield bridegroom the other day was an accident insurance policy.

The latest accounts from England, represent brother Bull as terribly frightened. It is said that the Fenians in Ireland, have already commenced the struggle.

The New Bedford Standard relates that one of the boarders in the Parker House, on coming down to an early breakfast recently, discovered one of the servant girls washing up the floors, upon which he accosted her thus, "Well, Biddy, you keep the floors clean, I see." "Indade, and I do, sir. A well washed floor, is a clean *board* of health," was the instant reply.

The carrot crop is a very prolific and profitable one, when well and carefully managed. A farmer in South Danvers raised 100 tons the past season, which he sold for $1800. He took 30 tons, $540 worth, from an acre of land.

The increase of the population of the State of Illinois from 1850 to 1860 was 860,000. Of its 35,000,000 acres of land 30,000,000 are tillable. Last year it produced one-fifth as much grain as all the States in 1860. It is estimated that its present agricultural product supports six millions of people. Its last corn crop amounted to 177,000,000 bushels; its wheat, 25,000,000. Illinois has now a population of upwards of two millions, of whom at least one-quarter are foreigners—principally Germans, mainly Protestants, and possessing a deep sympathy for the free institutions of the country.

The Special Revenue Commissioner, Mr. Wells is getting up a report which will go to Congress with the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, recommending a reduction of internal taxation. He contends that our taxes are now altogether too high for the business of the country, and that the Government does not need such a vast amount of revenue when its expenditures are so light. The estimates for this year have actually been exceeded by the Internal Revenue receipts, and have been a third more than our expenses. It is hoped and believed that the burdensome income tax will be the first to be reduced or abolished altogether.

Married

In Woburn, Nov. 25th, by Rev. M. M. Parkhurst, Mr. John F. Corbin, to Miss Marrietta Stacy, all of W.

In Woburn, Nov. 28th, by Rev. M. M. Parkhurst, Frederic Friend, to Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Rehl, all of W.

In Lowell, Nov. 27th, by Rev. E. B. Foster, D. D., Dr. J. F. Frisbie, of Woburn, to Miss Harriet M. Dunlap, daughter of the late Gen. R. T. Dunlap, of Brunswick, Maine.

Died

In Woburn, Nov. 28, Susan C. Cummings, aged 25 years, 7 months.

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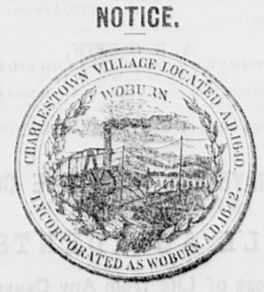
BANK NOTICE.

The stockholders of the first National Bank of Woburn, are hereby notified, that their Annual Meeting will be held at their banking rooms, in Woburn, on TUESDAY, January 8th, 1867, at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M., for the choice of Directors for the ensuing year; also for the transaction of any other business which may legally come before them. Per order,

E. J. JENKS, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866.

NOTICE.



SELECTMEN'S OFFICE,
Woburn, Nov. 28th, 1866.

Notice is hereby given that the Selectmen, and School Committee, of Woburn, will meet in Convention, at the Selectmen's Office, on Thursday, December 6th, 1866, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the Board of School Committee, caused by the resignation of Rev. Dr. BODWELL.

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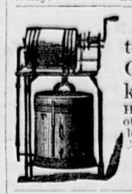
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IN THE
GRAND CHARITABLE FAIR
AND
PRESENTATION FESTIVAL,
FOR THE BENEFIT OF
DESTITUTE AND ORPHAN CHILDREN
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MARRIAGE AND CELIBACY, an Essay of warning and instruction for young men; also, Diseases and Abuses which prematurely prostrate the vital powers, with sure means of relief. Sent Free of Charge, in sealed letter envelopes. Address Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Any Lady or Gentleman sending me an addressed envelope and stamp, will receive full directions for gaining the affections of the opposite sex, and which will enable them to marry happily, irrespective of wealth, age or beauty. Address Mrs. MAIRE LEMOILLE, Harlem P. O., New York City.

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WE WISH TO SECURE AN AGENT in every important city or town to act for us in canvassing for business. To a man already established in some occupation which allows him a few spare hours, this is a good opportunity. Address, with references, GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., ADVERTISING AGENTS, Boston, Mass.

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WINDOW SHADES,
WINDOW SHADE FIXTURES,
HOLLANDS AND LINENS,

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CURTAIN CORNICES,

Table Oil Cloths, Enameled Cloths, Picture Cords, &c., &c. May be found Wholesale and Retail at

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A GREAT SACRIFICE!!
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A GREAT DISCOUNT!!!

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We shall offer on MONDAY, Nov. 19,

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The selection embraces many new styles, and the goods have all been made this season.

John Harrington & Co.,
17 Fremont Row, Boston. 17

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GAMES AND TOYS,
FOR
GIRLS AND BOYS,
AT
Woburn Bookstore.

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Warren Academy.

THE Winter Term of this Institution will begin on MONDAY, Nov. 26th, at 9 o'clock, A. M., and continue 11 weeks, under the charge of W. A. STONE, A. M., Principal.

E. CUTTER, Sec. Board of Trustees.

Woburn, Nov. 24, 1866. 2t

FALL and WINTER
CLOTHING.

The undersigned beg to call the attention of their friends and the public to their stock of

OVERCOATINGS,
BROADCLOTHS,
BUSINESS COATINGS,
FANCY CASSIMERES,
DOESKINS,
MELTONS,
VESTINGS, &c., &c., &c.

which they are prepared to make up in the most thorough and stylish manner, at

Low Prices.

Furnishing Goods

of all kinds, constantly on hand.

G. R. GAGE & CO.,

BANK BLOCK, WOBURN.

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Christmas Presents,

in large variety, at

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$75.000 Worth

—OF—

BOYS' AND YOUTHS'

CLOTHING

AT THE

NEW STORE,

43 and 45 Summer st.

BOSTON.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

—OF—

OVERCOATS

—AT—

Low Rates.

GEO. W. CARNES.

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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have formed a limited copartnership, under the name and style of JAMES SKINNER & CO., for five years, from July 1st, 1866, for the manufacture of Patent, Enameled, and Curried Leather.

JAMES SKINNER,
SIMON BLAKE.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866. 3t

WHISKERS AND MUSTACHES

FORCED to grow upon the smoothest face in from three to five weeks by using Dr. SEVIGNE'S RESTAURATEUR CAPILLAIRE, the most wonderful discovery in modern science, acting upon the Beard and Hair in an almost miraculous manner. It has been used by the elite of Paris and London with the most flattering success. Names of all purchasers will be registered, and if entire satisfaction is not given in every instance, the money will be cheerfully refunded. Price by mail, sealed and postpaid, $1. Descriptive circulars and testimonials mailed free. Address BERGER, SHUTTS & CO., Chemists, No. 285 Rive. Street, Troy, N. Y. Sole agents for the United States. dec 1—1m

DENTAL NOTICE.
Limitation Four Months.

DR. S. STOCKING, Dental Surgeon, No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON, in consideration of the unusual dullness of the present season, proposes to his old patients and others needing dental operations, a reduction of his fees to the old standard before the war, except where Gold or Platina Plate is used. This liberal arrangement for the next four months, will bring the price of setting and filling teeth within the reach of all, so that those who can raise the small sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents, can have in return a full set of teeth on rubber, with false gums, that will vie with Nature herself for beauty, adaptation and usefulness. dec 1

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CONSUMPTIVE *REMEDY.*

By the most careful comparison of this distressing complaint, with the chances of relief, or a *permanent cure*, I am satisfied that the above named preparation which has been fully tested in detail with the various phases of what are called

CONSUMPTION,
Or, Chronic Nervous Cough,

That it is not only perfectly adapted, but that the complaint has at last found a CONQUEROR. I can only assure such that cases can be referred to, where they were *declared incurable*, which have all the promises of a long life as ever, and with confidence to use it, or correspond with me.

JOHN L. HUNNEWELL, Proprietor,
PRACTICAL PHARMACEUTIST,
9 COMMERCIAL WHARF, BOSTON, MASS.

PRICE, ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE.
SIX BOTTLES FIVE DOLLARS.

Carefully packed to send by Express.

Dealers supplied, with the usual discount.

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STANDING

Wood & Timber,
AT AUCTION.

I shall sell at Auction, in lots, on MONDAY, Dec. 3d, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., all the Wood and Timber standing upon about 30 acres of land, situated partly in Winchester and partly in Stoneham, beginning a short distance west of the celebrated reclaimed meadow of Col. Lyman Dike, on the northerly side of long meadow, and extending westerly nearly to Forest street. The growth consists of White and Pitch Pine, Oak, Maple, &c., is of superior quality, and comprises many trees suitable for sawing. There are also many Cedars, suitable for posts. Access, which is easy at all seasons, may be had near the house of John S. Richardson, or from Forest street, at the top of the hill above the house of Samuel Richardson. Terms easy, and made known at sale. If stormy on said day, the sale will take place the next fair business day, at the same hour. By order of

JOHN S. RICHARDSON.

S. F. THOMPSON, Auctioneer.

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GUARDIAN'S SALE.

BY virtue of a license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, as Guardian of GEORGE F. CUTTER, a minor, will sell at public auction, on MONDAY, the tenth day of December, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, one undivided third part, subject to widow's Power, of about two acres of meadow land, situated in Winchester, in said County; bounded southerly on Woburn Branch Railroad, northwesterly on land of Andrew Shephard, northeasterly on the Abijona river, southeasterly on land of heirs of James F. Baldwin, deceased, the same having formerly belonged to Andrew Cutter, deceased.

JOHN H. WOODWARD, Guardian.

Winchester, Nov. 23d, 1866. 3t*

BOOKKEEPING,
NAVIGATION,
ARITHMETIC,
PENMANSHIP, &C.

J. A. BOUTELLE, of Woburn, will give Instruction in the above branches, in his office, Bank Block, Woburn. Number of scholars limited.

EVENING SCHOOL:
For Ladies and Gentlemen, Mondays and Thursdays

DAY SCHOOL:
For Ladies, on Mondays and Thursdays, at 3 o'clk, P. M., and on Saturdays, at 10, A. M.

GENEALOGY.

MR. BOUTELLE continues to compile Genealogies, make Family Charts, &c. Plain and Ornamental Writing executed with neatness and elegance. For further information please call at his Room on Saturdays, at 10 A. M., or Mondays at 3 P. M., or on the above evenings.

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TO THE LADIES.—Don't pay the high prices asked for Hats and Bonnets, but go to Mrs. A. L. ATWOOD'S, 401 Washington street, where you can purchase at reasonable prices.

For Sale,

1 good Iron Frame Polishing Wheel. JAMES SKINNER.

Woburn, Nov. 17, 1866.—3t

HAVE YOU SEEN THOSE
GOOD CIGARS,
—AT—
GROSVERNOR & CO.'S
Hats and Bonnets.

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST PLACE TO BUY HATS AND BONNETS IS AT

MRS. ATWOOD'S,
401 *Washington Street, ... Boston.*

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LADIES, before purchasing your Bonnets and Hats, please call at Mrs. ATWOOD'S, 401 Washington street, and examine her styles.

FOR SALE BY

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

CIGARS,

STEARNS, HART & COMPANY.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF
Real Estate
IN SOUTH READING.

BY license from the Court of Probate for Middlesex County, will be sold at auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, Dec. 3, 1866, at 11 o'clock, P. M., All the Real Estate belonging to the late Ezekiel Oliver, at the time of his death, consisting of a dwelling house, barn, and other buildings, with about 40 acres of tillage, meadow and woodland, and situated on Oak street, in the southerly part of South Reading, known as Greenwood.

The land will be sold in parcels to accommodate purchasers.

EDWARD MANSFIELD, Adm'r.

South Reading, Nov. 17th, 1866. 3t

TO OWNERS OF HORSES AND CATTLE.

TOBIAS' DERBY CONDITION POWDERS ARE warranted superior to any others, or no pay, for the cure of Distemper, Worms, Bots, Coughs, Hidebound, Colds, &c., in Horses; and Colds, Coughs, Loss of Milk, Black Tongue, Horn Distemper, &c., in Cattle. These Powders were formerly put up by Simpson I. Tobias, son of Dr. Tobias, and, since his death, the demand has been so great for them, that Dr. Tobias has continued to manufacture them. They are perfectly safe and innocent; no need of stopping the working of your animals. They increase the appetite, give a fine coat, cleanse the stomach and urinary organs; also increase the milk of cows. Try them, and you will never be without them. Hiram Woodruff, the celebrated trainer of trotting horses, has used them for years, and recommends them to his friends. Col. Philo. P. Bush, of the Jerome Race Course, Fordham, N. Y., would not use them until he was told of what they are composed, since which he is never without them. He has over 20 running horses in his charge, and for the last three years has used no other medicine for them. He has kindly permitted me to refer any one to him. Over 1,000 other references can be seen at the depot. Sold by Druggists and Saddlers. Price 25 cents per box. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York.

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Hair Work.

KEEPSAKES, useful and ornamental, made of Children's and Grown Person's Hair, in innumerable variety and styles, at

36 Winter St., Boston, Room 4 1-2.
L. CHRISTEN & CO.

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CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,
HOSIERY, GLOVES,
AND
UNDER GARMENTS.
Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

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G. LAMKIN,
DEALER IN
Boots and Shoes,
No. 10 Tremont Row,
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Established in 1849.

Jobbing & Retail.

EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Boots and Shoes,

OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE.

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

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LEARNARD & HARTLEY.

CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
oct20 3m BOSTON.

COMPOUND
GLYCERINE LOTION,
PREPARED BY
J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,
APOTHECARIES,
No. 5 Wade Block, Woburn Center, Mass.

This much esteemed and highly valuable preparation, is recommended as a most effectual preventive for Chapped Hands and Sunburn; also, to use after Shaving, to allay the inflammation, irritation, &c.

As a Cosmetic for softening and beautifying the skin, removing pimples, tan, freckles, sore lips, &c., it is superior to all other preparations now in use.

Glycerine being the principal ingredient of this article, is well known to be one of the best cosmetics for softening the skin, and combined with other articles equally as efficatious, the manufacturers feel confident that it will give universal satisfaction.

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NOTICE.

{L. S.} TO JOHN F. WETHERBEE, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in

About twelve pints of WINE, in twelve bottles; about two quarts of WHISKEY, in six bottles; about two quarts of RUM in three bottles; about one pint of GIN, in one bottle; about three pints of BRANDY, in two bottles; about three and one-half gallons of WHISKEY, in two demijohns; about two quarts of GIN, in one demijohn; about one quart of BRANDY, in one demijohn; about two gallons of WINE, in one demijohn; about two quarts of RUM, in a jug; about eight gallons of WINE, in two kegs; about six gallons of ALE in a barrel,

which by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said John F. Wetherbee, in said Woburn, on the seventeenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, in my opinion exceeds twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before the Justices of the Superior Court next to be holden at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the second Monday of February next, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said John F. Wetherbee, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at Woburn, in said County, this seventeenth day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

P. L. CONVERSE, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.

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Copartnership Notice.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have this day formed a copartnership under the name and style of G. R. GAGE & CO., for the purpose of carrying on business as Drapers and Tailors.

G. R. GAGE.
F. A. FLINT.

Woburn, October 1st, 1866. nov 24—tf

FANCY MILLINERY GOODS.

MRS. ATWOOD, 401 Washington Street, Boston, has just received a rich stock of Bonnets, Velvets, Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and a full selection of Hats and Bonnets, which will be sold at very low prices. Please call before purchasing elsewhere. nov17—4t

SPECIAL NOTICES.
Gloves & Mittens.

GENT'S BEAVER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

GENT'S OTTER TRIMMED KID MITTENS.

LADIES' OTTER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

LADIES' OTTER TRIMMED KID MITTENS.

MENS' HEAVY PLYMOUTH BUCK GLOVES.

BOY'S HEAVY PLYMOUTH BUCK GLOVES.

With a good assortment of LOW PRICED

LEATHER GLOVES and MITTENS.

A. WOOD.

NO. 11 WADE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

From the late Fire!

G. R. GAGE & CO.,

HAVE just received a lot of Goods suitable for Overcoats and Business Suits, saved from the late fire in Franklin street, Boston, and they are now prepared to manufacture Garments from them at a reduction of more than fifty per cent. on former prices. They are in no way inferior to higher priced Goods, having only been slightly damped. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those who have not been able to purchase an Overcoat at the higher prices. nov24: tf

WINTER GOODS.

MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

MEN'S PLAIN SHETLAND SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

MEN'S WOOL SOCKS.

MEN'S WOOL GLOVES AND MITTENS.

BOY'S WOOL SOCKS.

BOY'S WOOL MITTENS.

With a good assortment of

GENT'S AND BOY'S FINE CLOTH GLOVES.

A. WOOD.

NO. 11 WADE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

WILLCOX & GIBBS' SEWING MACHINES.

STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,
Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,
AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.

A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

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IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression and all other Menstrual Derangements, from whatever cause.* All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 2 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

THE CONFESSIONS AND EXPERIENCE OF AN INVALID.

Published for the benefit and as a CAUTION TO YOUNG Men and others, who suffer from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of Manhood, &c., supplying at the same time THE MEANS OF SELF-CURE. By one who has cured himself after undergoing considerable quackery. By enclosing a postpaid addressed envelope, single copies, free of charge, may be had of the author. NATHANIEL MAYFAIR.

Jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and direction for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN.

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

JOB PRINTING NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

TO THE PEOPLE OF WOBURN And Vicinity.

Frank B. Dodge,

Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

LARGE

AND

WELL SELECTED STOCK

OF

WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
STERLING
SILVER WARE,
FANCY GOODS,
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
&c., &c., &c.,

His stock consists of all kinds of

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

FINE SILVER

AND

PLATED WARE,

And a general assortment of

Fancy Goods!

such as

ALBUMS,
LEATHER BAGS,
WATCH STANDS,
THERMOMETERS,
HDKF and GLOVE BOXES,
DRESSING CASES,
FANS,

with a large variety of Lava, Parian and Etruscan

VASES,

COLOGNES, SMOKER SETS,
MATCH BOXES, &c.

Fine Table Cutlery,

RAZORS,

POCKET KNIVES,

and every article usually found in a

FIRST CLASS

Jewelry Store.

Every article warranted to be as represented.

FINE WATCHES

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.

ALL KINDS OF

CLOCKS AND JEWELRY

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

OLD GOLD and SILVER taken in exchange.

Gold, Silver and Steel SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASS, &c.

Engraving Done to Order.

All goods sold by me, engraved free of charge.

Frank B. Dodge,

OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Nov. 3, 1866. 3m

BOSTON AND LOWELL

And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2,30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7-00, 8† am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m,12.00 ,2.30, 5.00 p m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m.,2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8†, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4 00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am. 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Canter, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.34, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7-22, 8.30, a.m, 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5-30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9 55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6-00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05 7.40, 9.00, 10-24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6-35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6-50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.

*On or arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2 15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.
Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7-40, 9 a m. 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.
*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.
†Wednesdays at 10.15 p.m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham ‡ at 8.00, A M, 12 15, 3, 5-15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham‡ for Boston, at 5-52, and 7-32, 8.52, 10.15, A. M., 1.00, 4-52, and 6.30, P M.,
‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11 30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.
¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and on Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent,
B. L. and N. & L. R. R.

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities, Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppressions and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

$1,500 PER YEAR! We want agents everywhere to sell our IMPROVED $20 Sewing Machines. Three new kinds. Under and upper feed. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than $40, which are *fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Bachelder. All* cheap machines are *infringements* and the *seller* or *user* are *liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment.* Circulars *free.* Address, or call upon Shaw & Clark, Biddeford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. dec30—1y

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WHEELER & WILSON'S

LOCK STITCH

Sewing Machines!

HAVE TAKEN THE

Highest Premiums

At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.

Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind.

For FAMILY SEWING.
For TAILORING.
For DRESS MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.
For SKIRT MAKING.
For SHIRT MAKING.
For CLOAK MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.

IN FACT,

For every king of Practical Sewing, WHEELER & WILSON'S IS THE ONLY ONE IN USE.

H. C. HAYDEN,
AGENT,
Office, 228 Washington St.,
oct20—3m Cor. Summer street, Boston

DOGS! DOGS!

HARRY JENNINGS, 32 Portland Street, Boston, Has a large assortment of Black Tans, Scotch and Skye Terriers, Gun Dogs, Watch Dogs, &c., for sale. Dogs cured of all diseases. H. J.'s Patented Magic Flea Soap, 50 cents a box.

H. J. has Stock Dogs of all kinds, including a handsome Italian Greyhound, Black Tans, and the handsomest, largest, trained Siberian Bloodhound in the States. All Dogs warranted. nov 10—6w

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JOB PRINTING NEATLY EXECUTED AT THIS OFFICE.

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement, JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,596,282.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offe. to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN McGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, Ass't Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.
Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07, AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,

And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.
sept29—1y

LEARNARD & HARTLEY,

Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture, AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also, WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT THE—

OLD STAND,

136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,

oct 13—3m BOSTON.

CLEARING AND CLOSING-OUT SALE

AT THE

Ladies' Dry and Fancy Goods STORE, IN BOSTON!

Nearly opposite the Museum.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.

LADIES, you should by all means attend this Closing-Out sale. We are selling at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.
45 and 47 Tremont Street,
Nearly opposite the
BOSTON MUSEUM.
nov17

SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXPECTING in a little time to remove to Washington street, we offer our entire stock, consisting of elegant

DRAWING ROOM,
LIBRARY,
DINING ROOM
AND CHAMBER

Furniture!

Comprising as good and well selected stock as can be found in Boston, which we will sell at a LARGE DISCOUNT FROM REGULAR PRICES.

Purchasers will find it for their interest to visit our Warerooms, in the spacious Hall over the Passenger Depot of the Boston and Maine Railroad, Haymarket Square.

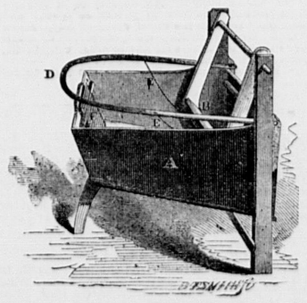
☞ Particular attention given in packing goods to go out of the city, and WITHOUT CHARGE TO THE PURCHASER.

BUCKLEY & BANCROFT,
Over the Passenger Depot, Haymarket Sqare.
apr7—y

THE

UNION WASHER!

Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board combined.



THE Union Washer combines an excellent Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board, in a most compact, convenient and portable form, is pronounced by all who have used it a perfect machine, and just the thing that every family needs.

If desired, a *wringer* may be attached to the back of the box.

This machine is operated with the greatest ease, even by a child eight or ten years old; washes with great rapidity, and does not wear the clothes.

DIRECTIONS.—For washing three sheets, or about that quantity of clothing, put in 10 quarts of water.

TRY IT, and save your time, strength and clothes.

Persons wishing to try one of these Machines, with a view of purchasing if satisfactory, can do so by applying to the manufacturer,

C. H. EDMANDS, Summer St., Lynn, Mass.
nov 10—2m

"Save that Old Hat!"

AND SEND IT TO

WORTMAN'S,

27 Portland St., Boston,

And have it made Fashionable and to look as good as new.

GENTS' KERSEY HATS made to order for $5.00.
nov 17—1t

MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!

AND

FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,

WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.

oct18—6m

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,

116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

sept22—3m

RHEUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



After suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered. 20 Years



Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.
july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. Hetrusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.
Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,
260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.
sept29—3m

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Brice 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.
sept29—3m

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.

SPARROW HORTON,
feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,

Immediately.

Apply at P. TEARE'S.
oct13—tf

HEALTH AND WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS' RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,

FOR

GENTLEMEN'S GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING A SPLENDID STOCK OF NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF GOODS

—FOR—

Gentlemen's Garments,

EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT

CHAMBERS
BOSTON.

J. PIERPONT COLLINS.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING.

J. Walter Reed,

HAS REMOVED HIS

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING,

TO CHAMBERS

300 Washington St.,

Corner Suffolk Place, (a few doors South of West Street.)

The new stock is one of the LARGEST ever shown in Boston, and will be sold at LOW PRICES. A large assortment of the newest styles of PIECE GOODS is now on hand, which will be sold by the yard or made into garments for

Gentlemen, Youth or Boys.

nov 3—3m

MY CLOCK WON'T GO!

Then have it repaired and

Warranted for Three Years,

AT

J. J. BEALS & CO.'S,

No. 101 Union Street, Haymarket Square, BOSTON,

Having facilities second to none in New England for repairing Clocks of every description, we guarantee perfect satisfaction.

Clocks sent for and returned in Boston without extra charge Orders by mail solicited.
nov 3—3m

The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two

HARRISON'S PERISTALIC LOZENGES

regularly every night, you will get rid of COSTIVENESS, which is the cheaf cause of PILES, either bleeding or blind. We want every person to try our Lozenges, and they will thank us for calling their attention to them. One after dinner or supper banishes every form of Indigestion. Two move the bowels once only, and never gripe, or require increase of dose, thus differing from all PILLS.

For HABITUAL CONSTIPATION they excel every other remedy,

J. S. HARRISON & CO., Proprietors,
No. 1 Tremont Temple, Boston.

Sold everywhere, or will be mailed on inclosing 60 cents. oct 13—1y

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GEORGE O. DALTON, M. D.

OFFICE:

No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.

Residence, No. 3 Canal St., WOBURN CENTER,

Flour, FEED, MEAL AND GRAIN,

HOMINY, SAMP,
GRAHAM FLOUR, RYE MEAL,
HECKER'S FARINA,
CORN STARCH, &C., &C.

The subscribers would inform the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity that they have leased the store

1st door South of Central House,

where they will keep constantly on hand a good stock of

Flour, Grain, &c.,

which will be sold as low as the market will afford.

By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Taylor Brothers.
Woburn, March 3, 1866.

NEW

GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

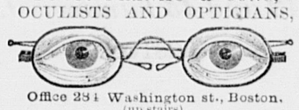
Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

URBANE DERBY.

PROF. FRANKS & SONS,

OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.
(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any peddlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. jan20—1y

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C. S. ADKINS,

DEALER IN

BOOKS, STATIONERY, PERIODICALS,

Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
Violin and Guitar Strings.
CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

Next door to the Post Office, Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT.

Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt, for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.
feb24—1y

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, JR.
Woburn, March 17, 1866.

Cards printed at this Office

GREAT EXPOSITION

—OF—

Dress Furs!

Our choice selection of FUR GARMENTS for the coming Winter will be opened for the inspection of the public

NOVEMBER 1st, 1866.

The goods presented for public approval will consist in part of Garments made from

Russian Sable,

The most valuable of all Furs.

Hudson Bay Sable,

which ranks next in elegance and variety to the Russian.

EASTERN AMERICAN SABLE,

A popular and desirable Fur,

ERMINE,
ASTRACHAN,
RUSSIAN SQUIRREL,

Besides many other varieties.

All Furs are originally very irregular in shape, and often contain many imperfections, thus requiring the utmost care and skill in the preparation and manufacture, and thorough experience and rare judgment in their selection.

We would particularly call attention to our facilities for the preparation and display of goods of this description, for which purpose we now occupy the whole of THE ELEGANT BUILDING,

145 and 147 Washington Street,

which, with one exception, is THE LARGEST RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT OF THE KIND IN THE COUNTRY, unsurpassed for the facilities for transacting this business.

Our Furs are originally selected in the raw state by Mr. MARCUS COOK, who has had a valuable experience of twenty years in the business—and are personally inspected by him in every stage of their manufacture; no garment being allowed to be displayed for sale until perfect in every respect, both as regards

SUPERIORITY OF KIND AND EXCELLENCE OF MANUFACTURE.

☞ All FURS sold by us are warranted NATURAL COLOR.

☞ OLD FURS re-made and taken in exchange.

Cook & Aldrich,

145 & 147 Washington St.,

(Opposite the Old South.) BOSTON.
nov17—4t

NEW

Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS, VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

☞ IN THEIR SEASONS. ☜

POULTRY,
DRIED & SMOKED MEATS
AND
HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

of the very best quality.

GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866. E. O. SOLES.

CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Parian & Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.

PLATED WARE,

Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,

33 Hanover, near Court street, Boston.

HORACE COLLAMORE

DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK, Woburn Centre.

SPRINGFIELD

FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.
nov3

W. B. ELLIS & CO. 28 Bromfield st. Boston.

OFFER AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

A large assortment of

WINDOW SHADES, LACE CURTAINS, AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS.

New Goods constantly received.

Drapery Curtains put up in the best manner, at reasonable prices.

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,

28 Bromfield st., Boston.
nov 17—4t

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

JOHN L. PARKER, Agent,

WOBURN, MASS.

OFFICE, KELLEY'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET.

CHARLES A. SMITH,

DEALER IN

American and Foreign DRY GOODS,

Bank Block, - - Woburn

SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

Broker in Patents,

And sole Agent for

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter,

18 OLD STATE HOUSE, Boston.

June23—1y

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.

feb3—1y

F. L. GERALD,

VETERINARY SURGEON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Splents, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

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OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
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TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

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☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.
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WEATHER STRIP DEPOT,

151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151

Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter.*

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.
oct20—3m

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

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Is sold by all Apothecaries, everywhere, for only ONE DOLLAR. It is a *certain cure* for DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, DROPSY, FEMALE DISORDERS, AND GENERAL DEBILITY, arising from excesses of any kind. Read the following TESTIMONY OF A CITY MISSIONARY:—

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I feel it a duty I owe to you, and to such of the community as are suffering as I have suffered, to make known through the medium of your advertisements the CURE that, through the blessing of God, you have wrought upon me by using SMONANDER'S BUCHU. I had *suffered over one year* with *Kidney Disease* so bad I *could hardly walk*. I took four bottles of *Smolander's Buchu*, and it *cured me*.

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ALL APOTHECARIES SELL THIS VALUABLE PREPARATION, AND ASK ONLY ONE DOLLAR FOR IT. TRY IT.

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nov 10

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Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,

No. 33 Winter St., Boston.

The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the

Cheapest Market Prices.

JOHN C. OSGOOD.

oct20—3m

DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist.



Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

Woburn Centre, Mass.

Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

SULPHURIC ETHER,

Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain*. Charges moderate.

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

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J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party. J. M. T.

Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.

Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

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A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,

BEING AN

EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH

CLOCK AND WATCH

MAKER,

AS ALSO

JEWELRY DEALER,

would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,

MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE COMMON.

All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

aug 11—6m

Best and Cheapest Insurance !

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low*. The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

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RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.

oct 6—3m

HOLIDAY GIFTS,

for OLD or YOUNG,

AT

HORTON'S WOBURN BOOKSTORE.

dec 1—1m*

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO.,

Druggists & Apothecaries,

No. 5 Wade Block,

Main Street, Woburn Center.

Entire New Stock !

The subscribers have purchased the Apothecary Store of Mr. W. C. BRIGHAM, and have entirely refitted it. It is their intention to improve the store by giving strict attention to business. We have added largely to the stock of

Drugs, Chemicals,

ETC., ETC.,

and shall endeavor to keep the store well supplied with

RELIABLE GOODS.

A full assortment of all the most popular

PATENT MEDICINES

OF THE DAY,

Constantly on hand. Our stock of

SOAPS,

PERFUMERY,

TOOTH BRUSHES,

ETC.,

will be found equal to any elsewhere. We have increased facilities for the compounding of

Physicians' Prescriptions,

and the store will be constantly in charge of a thoroughly competent person to prepare them.

☞ If Medicines are needed in the night, Mr. Grosvenor may be found at the dwelling house directly opposite the store.

We shall make a specialty of

Fresh Herbs,

AND SHALL KEEP

A FULL VARIETY.

We have also added to the Stock

SOME CHOICE BRANDS

OF

CIGARS

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CIGARS

BY THE BOX,

VERY LOW.

☞ We solicit the confidence and patronage of the public. ☜

J. M. GROSVENOR & CO., No. 5 Wade Block.

J. M. GROSVENOR. J. W. TUFTS.

Woburn, Oct. 20, 1866.

"Do Not Delay,"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,

INSURANCE AGENT,

feb24—1y at Woburn Bookstore.

Copartnership Notice.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have this day formed a copartnership under the name and style of G. R. GAGE & CO., for the purpose of carrying on business as Drapers and Tailors.

G. R. GAGE.
F. A. FLINT.

Woburn, October 1st, 1866. nov 24—tf

THERE'S NO SUCH BOY AS MINE.

We have a king at our house,
A merry monarch he,
Whose dimpled face and baby charms
Are beautiful to see.
And though I've been the country round,
Where other babies shine,
My love and pride are satisfied
There's no such boy as mine.
No such boy, no such boy.
See him! he's his mother's joy!
How his eyes with mischief shine—
Oh! there's no such boy as mine!

Though scarce a twelve-month is our pet,
He rules the household all,
For mother, father, servants run,
Responsive to his call.
He takes his seat on nurses' back
Each morning when 'tis fine,
And round and round the garden rides,
This precious boy of mine.
No such boy, etc.

Kind providence ordains it so,
That every mother's child
Should be the fairest thing to her
That ever time bequiled.
And thus it is, though some may think
Their children very fine,
My love and pride are satisfied
There's no such boy as mine.
No such boy, etc.

EXTRAVAGANCE.

BY A LADY.

The press has for many months commented on this growing sin and teemed with warning concerning it, and the easy methods of making money have too often been unmerciful speculation, oppression of the poor, and swindling of the government—hence a class of society totally unworthy have come up to occupy our best houses and to flaunt in diamonds and costly array, which, it would seem, must soon cease to make such extravagant adornments respectable. Mr. Jenkins brings home a dress, three or four dollars a yard, to his wife to make her eyes shine and her voice sweet; this she buys the richest lace to trim; then come the French embroideries, the elegant mantle, the "love of a hat" to wear with it, all telling fearfully upon her husband's purse; but this is only one suit, of which she must have many, or the all-powerful Mrs. Snipkins will say: "Has n't that woman got but one dress? I'm tired of the very sight of it;" and that would kill Mrs. Jenkins.

"We must n't be afraid to ask too much for what we have to sell," said an old farmer to another the other day, in the hearing of a friend, "'cause we can get anything we ask." What did he think of the present increase of extravagance?

"Wife," said a gentleman up town the other morning, "suppose we make up our minds to sell this house." "Sell this house!" replied the wife, "pray what for? We have just got it fixed to our minds, and have lived in it but two years." "Well, but had we not better sell it, if we could get forty thousand dollars for it?" "$40,000! impossible! it only cost $18,000 all told." "Yes, but we can get any thing we ask now-a-days." "Then we had better sell by all means, for if we can make $22,000 by the bargain, of course we can't afford to live in it." Husband went down town after breakfast, and put the house into an agent's hands for sale. Next morning, just as he was rubbing his eyes open, a tremendous ring was heard at the door-bell, and a fat man stood on the door steps breathing hard; a large diamond glistening on his bosom, and plenty more on his fingers. Servant opened the door; fat man said, "I understand this house is for sale. Can I see the proprietor?" "Believe he is n't up, sir," answered the servant "but I'll see." Proprietor hurried on his clothes, and descended to the door. "Can I look at your house, sir?" said the fat man. "My family are not up yet," was the reply; "are you aware of the price?" "Yes, sir; $40,000, I believe; can I look at the parlors?" Proprietor briskly displays them. "I see the house is of the style that will suit me, and I'll take it," said the man; "I am ready to make an advance payment to clinch the bargain. Now, sir, if I can have possession on next Wednesday, I'll give you a check for the whole amount. Wednesday gentleman moved out; shoddy moved in. This is only one way in which the money goes in these days, the real value of the article being a slight consideration beside the possessing it.

A little three year old boy was being baptised recently at a Presbyterian church in Newark, N. J., and after the sprinkling of the water, while the congregation were praying, a drop of water that had been left upon the baby's forehead began to steal slowly down its face, a stray ray of sun-light falling upon it the while from a half open shutter, and causing it to glisten in its progress like a brilliant of the richest hue. Just as it was about to fall from baby's cheek to the floor the little one made an impulsive effort as if to wipe it away, and the falling drop was caught upon the back of her chubby hand. Speaking "right out in meeting" as the tiny hand was stretched towards mama, she said, "See, mama see! I dot'e baptise, and I doin' to take it home to dolly." Even the devout pastor was ill able to suppress a smile and in the discourse which followed, the incident was illustrated, when he said, "our good deeds ever glisten in the sunlight of the Father's approval, and falling like blessings upon our little ones, are by them bequeathed to generations yet unborn."

ILL-TIMED TEMPER.—"I have known" says the Country Parson, "more malignity and slander conveyed in the form of prayer than should have consigned an ordinary slanderer to the pillory. I have known a person who made evening prayer a means of infuriating and stabbing the servants, under the pretext of confessing their sins. 'Thou knowest, Lord, how thy servants have been occupied this day;' with these words did the blasphemous mockery of prayer begin one Sunday evening in a house I could easily indicate; and then the man, under the pretext of addressing the Almighty, raked up the misdoings of the servants—they being present, of course,—in a fashion which if he had ventured on at any other time, would probably have led some of them to assult him."

Keep your boy a boy whilst he is a boy; a well behaved, polite boy; a manly boy; a courageous, self-reliant boy; no milksop boy tied to his mother's skirts, but still a boy; not a little weakling fop, a precocious snob, a conceited monkey, aping the airs and acquiring the habits of grown-up dandies and fast characters. Don't make a self-indulgent small gentleman of him. Teach him to wait upon and take care of himself, and to respect his inferiors and treat them courteously and kindly. Pray save him from the absurdity of a cane and kid gloves and garments that are not suitable for downright hearty play. It may be pretty and aristocratic and a sign of your opulence to dress him up in the height of fashion; but in so doing you run the risk of spoiling him for any robust and useful living in this democratic land; and pray remember as you take pride in the bright, handsome lad, that this *is* a democratic land, of which he is to be a citizen; therefore he is not wholly yours, but belongs to his country, and that you are first to make of him an upright, honest, genuine republican in morals, mind and manner.

A story is told of a young fellow who on one Sunday strolled into a village church, and during the service was electrified and gratified by a sparkling pair of eyes which were riveted upon his face. After the service, he saw the possessor of the shining orbs leave the church alone, and emboldened by her glances, he ventured to follow, his heart aching with rapture. He saw her look behind, and fancied she evinced some emotion at recognizing him. He then quickened his pace, and she actually slackened hers, as if to let him come up with her—but we will permit the young gentleman to tell the rest in his own way.

"Noble young creature" thought I, "her artless and warm heart is superior to the bond of custom."

I had reached within a stone's throw of her. She suddenly halted, and turned her head towards me. My heart swelled to bursting. I reached the spot where she stood, she began to speak, and I took off my hat as if doing reverence to an angel.

"Are you a peddler?"

"No, my dear girl, that is not my occupation."

"Well I don't know," continued she, not very bashfully, and eying me very sternly, "I thought, when I saw you in the meeting house, that you looked like a peddler who passed off a pewter half dollar on me three weeks ago, and so determined to keep an eye on you. Brother John has got home now, and says if he catches the fellow he'll wring his neck for him; and I ain't sure but you're the good-for-nothing rascal after all."

AN ELEPHANT'S PRACTICAL JOKE. At the Jarden des Plantes, Paris, the other day a crowd had assembled around the elephant's enclosure, and whilst the majestic quadruped was contemplating with philosophic eye the admiring spectators, a rat which had escaped from the pursuit of a terrier in another part of the garden, finding no other place of refuge, ran up the elephant's trunk at the moment when the latter had brought that apendage in contact with the earth for the purpose of smelling a piece of bread that one of the spectators had thrown him. The elephant evidently annoyed at this act of familiarity on the part of the rat, used every effort to get rid of the troublesome intruder, but in vain. At length, as if struck by some humorous idea, the pachyderm went to his pond, and filling his trunk with water, forced it out with such violence that the poor rat was half-killed by the shock. But the singular scene did not end here. The elephant has vindictive feelings as well as any other living being, and to gratify these he repeated the process four times, taking the rat up and casting it down with great force each time.

DR. MARY WALKER IN LONDON.—The arrival of this rather eccentric lady in London and her visits to some of the hospitals there have already been announced. The London Lancet has a very kind and gallant notice of this intruder into the profession of which that paper is the organ. It says:—

"A good deal of interest has been created of late by the appearance of Miss Mary Walker, M. D., of New York, at some of our hospitals. On the 31st ult. this lady attended the operations at the Middlesex Hospital, and witnessed the removal of dead bone from a jaw by Mr. Lawson, and an attempted reduction of an old dislocation of the humerus by Mr. de Morgan. Dr. Mary Walker has taken to her vocation quite seriously. With her it is evidently no mere passing whim. She practised medicine in New York for five years before the war broke out, then volunteered for the Federal army medical service, and served through a campaign of four years, during the first three years being with the army of the Potomac. In the course of her military career she was taken prisoner of war, and, after four months captivity, was regularly exchanged, the happy rebel whose freedom was thus purchased being a full-grown and moustached surgeon, six feet high. As regards Dr. Mary Walker's costume, we have only to say that the great weight of her garments is suspended from the shoulders, very much as in the case with her professional brethren. She is strongly of opinion that the ordinary costume of women is fraught with evil from a physiological point of view, on account of the great weight of the clothes being borne by the waist. And doubtless there is much truth and sound sense in her opinion. Dr. Mary Walker will make but a short stay in the metropolis to visit the hospitals and museums. We are quite sure that our professional sister will receive every courtesy and attention at the hands of the authorities and gentlemen engaged at their studies. We may hesitate about the advisability of this lady's example being generally followed by her sex, but we cannot fail to respect the earnest purpose which has marked the step in the present instance."

An idea has become current for years, originating, we believe, entirely in a social change as to the hour of meals, that eating is unfavorable to sleep, but the idea is opposed not only to analogy, but to experience. All animals, all children, all savages, and all races which take no wine sleep immediately after eating. Who does not feel sleepy immediately after lunch, if he is stupid enough to eat a meal invented in order that by eating without enjoyment one may loose a little of one's capacity for work. Half the sleeplessness of great cities is due to the absurd hours we select for food. A savage eats and sleeps as a dog does; a Hindoo, fortunately for himself, is compelled by his creed to eat just before he sleeps, being prohibited from cooking twice in the same sun; but a civilized man eats, then while digestion ought to be going on does half the work of his life, and then, just as the body becomes wakeful again, settles himself into a bed specially constructed to bring the blood to his head. Of course feeding time will not be altered for the sake of sound sleep, nor fashion yield to hygiene, but it is possible to eat something at bed time, if only a crust, and if men who take wine would take it then, instead of after dinner—a villainous unsocial suggestion—they would find half their difficulty disappear.

AFTER THE GUILLOTINE.—Four men were executed by the guillotine at Brest. The evening before the execution every medical man in Brest received an invitation from Dr. Duval, Director of the Board of Health, to meet him in the amphitheatre of the hospital at six on the following morning. Precisely at that hour all the men of science belonging to that city assembled around four dissecting tables covered by white cloths. As the clock struck, the four culprits were ushered into eternity. At 6.20 the hospital van was seen to cross the court of the Pupilles de la Marine at a hand gallop, and in a few seconds four lifeless trunks were thrown on the dissecting tables, precisely eight minuites after they had ceased to exist. The sight was indeed startling. The bodies appeared shrunk to the size of that of a child—the neck utterly disappeared, and in its place a frightful, gaping wound. Next to the bodies, rolled up in napkins, were four livid heads. The work of dissection commenced instantly. The nerves quivered and the flesh was still warm. The continued contractability of the heart was proved, as well as the aorta, where sensitiveness was extreme. The contractability was manifested on simply touching the part, and of course was still more apparant when subject to electric currents. The muscular contraction was so intense, that, even after twenty minutes, one of the doctors, on applying an electric current, made the four heads grimace in the most horrible manner. A pencil was placed between the teath of one; it was bitten through and smashed as though it had been made of glass.

THE FRANKLIN FUND.—Dr. Franklin, by his will, gave a thousand pounds sterling in money to the city of Boston, to be kept as a fund to assist young mechanics of good character in setting up in business for themselves. He calculated that in one hundred years the fund would increase to one hundred and thirty-one thousand pounds, of which one hundred thousand should then be laid out in such public improvements as would make the town "more convenient to its people and more agreeable to strangers." The remaining thirty-one thousand should be managed as before for another hundred years, when it would amount to more than four millions sterling, all of which he would leave to the disposal of the State and the town, "not presuming to carry his views further."

A recent report of the city clerk of Boston, on the state of this fund, discloses the existence of only "one bond" for $80, for money loaned to a mechanic. The residue, amounting to one hundred and ten thousand dollars, for which there has been no demand, is "deposited with the Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Company," where it is quite secure, and yields an interest of five per cent. The opportunities for loaning to young mechanics under the terms of the will have ceased, owing to the changes in the manner of conducting business. The day for the first distribution, by which Boston is to receive half a million dollars for public improvements, is thrust forward a good way into the next century, but it will come with the lapse of time.

In earlier times it was customary for the young mechanics of Boston to get loans from the Franklin Fund. But it is a remarkable fact that seven-eighths of the re-payments of the authorized loans were made by the sureties and not by the principals. Mr. William Minot was treasurer of the fund from 1811 to 1866, during which period it increased from $9,000 to $110,166.

The fact that a scheme emanating from one so wise and philanthropic, and conversant with affairs, as Franklin, has proved so entirely futile, shows how fast the country has advanced in practical sagacity, under the culture of Republican liberty. Nothing is more uncertain or less satisfactory than the result of mortuary investments generally for purposes of business or benevolence. Those gifts are most productive of good which are employed directly by the giver, or under his personal supervision, and applied directly for the benefit of the generations out of whose labors the wealth has accured, or for the benefit of their immediate posterity, leaving it to the generations of the distant future to do as much for themselves when they come upon the stage of action.

KING PEPPEL.—King Peppel is dead. The Africa, at Halifax, brought the news. It was not thought of sufficient importance to send the announcement by Cable, but it was brought to Halifax by steamer and thence telegraphed to New York —"King Peppel of Bonny is dead." We have not seen any flags at half-mast to-day, and yet we venture to suggest to some of the ardent gentlemen who claim to be the special friends of the colored race that this decease of the most important man of that race, perhaps in all the world, might well receive some notice at their hands.

But it is highly probable that a great many of the most ardent advocates of negro equality are so profoundly ignorant of what they ought to know before discussing such a subject that they will actually be inquiring "who is King Peppel?" King Peppel is not. He was. But he has fallen. The electric wires do not tell us whether he was murdered by his nobles who have threatened it for ten years past, or whether he died of obesity or drunkenness, or any other of the ordinary vices and diseases of African kings. But it is highly probable that there has been wailing in the Bight of Benin, not over the dead king, whom every one detested, but over the other dead who have perished in the general fights, horrors and massacres. Some readers will remember when Peppel was in England. He resided there and received attention. Civilization tried to win him, but made a miserable failure of it, as civilization has often failed in similiar attempts. He went back to Africa and established his throne on the mud banks of the river Bonny, one of the mouths of the Niger. His palace consisted of three huts, on the oozing black mud of the shore, redolent with filth. The latest account we have of him from a visitor describes him as especially addicted to dog-stews, the animals being bred expressly for his eating. After his long residence in England he carried back with him, in his yacht, an English farmer, a lady's maid, and some other enthusiastic English people who went out to serve Peppel in the cause of civilization. But he had scarcely reached home when he dropped his English prejudices, and returned, like a hog to the mire. We don't know what became of the deluded people that went out with him. One traveler says that "the lady's maid made a plant upon Peppel which provoked the jealousy of the Queen," but whether they devoured her, or what was her fate, is not, so far as we know, written. The farmer gave up all idea of farming for the king, and the others, who had been promised life pensions and homes in the royal palace, were put on rations of two yams per day per head, and that disgusted them with African civilization. But the king waxed strong, fat, and rich in the African way. He became the richest king on the coast. His income has been estimated at $75,000 per annum. He once lost his throne, having blown out the brains of one of his wives, and raised a family quarrel thereby. He regained the nominal sovereignty, but for some time past it has only been nominal, the government being in the hands of four "nobles" as regents. The traders on the coast live in old hulks, off shore, and never trust themselves on shore at night. Dealing with them in all the "products" of the coast has made King Peppel, of Bonny, a man of mark in the word, so that his death is announced by telegraph, and that is the

end of him. There is this importance in the history of the man, that he was an African, having some intelligence, long resident in England, wealthy, with every inducement and every opportunity to receive for himself and carry to his own countrymen the blessings of civilization, who deliberately rejected the opportunity, and lived and died in a mud hovel, finding his highest pleasures in the vile life and habits of his original barbarism. It is one of the most melancholy facts in the history of Africa.—*New York Journal of Commerce.*

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LETTER FROM BOSTON.

Fine weather—business—thanksgiving—dishonest young men, and the temptations to the young—Young Men's Christian Union and other societies—duties to young men—Lowell Institute—Churches.

BOSTON, Dec. 5th, 1866.

We have entered into the winter, but so fine has been the weather in November, a month which all the poets have united to call gloomy and severe, that winter seems still far off. The streets, where ladies most do congregate, present an animated appearance as fashion and beauty sweep gracefully along and fill the shops with customers. The wholesale dealers in all kinds of merchandise say, that it has been a very dull time, as country traders seem to be holding back from purchases. Thanksgiving poultry made a very fine show, and the way they vanished spite of the high prices, which continued rising during the day proceeding the festival, indicated that money was plenty enough in many peoples' pockets. The wet and rainy day prevented a good deal of out door exercise, and consequently the appearance of hilarity was diminished. There must have been many households condemned to meagre fare and little enjoyment. In a large city like this, with so many foreigners in it, doubtless a third of the population had no education to qualify them to enjoy this peculiar New England festival. But so attractive are holydays, especially when a good bill of fare is connected with them, that we may hope in time, to have the Irish and the German adopting the Puritan thanksgiving.

That our young men are *fast* these days, is pretty evident, and the late detection in acts of dishonesty of some half a dozen clerks in a single extensive dry goods store, and their consequent dismissal from employment, may properly alarm shopkeepers, and make parents solicitous for children. One of the young men had been some ten years with his employer, and confesses to have taken about four dollars a day. What are we coming to? What security is there for the merchant, if those in whom he places confidence as co-workers in business, prove unreliable. The lures for young men spread out in our city, and drawing in many from the country,—the theatres, operas, and lower and more dangerous places of resort, where liquors, gambling and lewdness prevail, with the extravagence in dress and living generally, and lowered state of morality and religion in the community, are too strong for young men to resist, who have not been carefully nurtured in good ways, and who have no one looking out for them. Their employers ought to have taken some pains to ascertain what they were about in their leisure hours; and the Young Men's Christian Association need to wake up to a greater feeling of responsibility, and to very much greater exertion than they have ever put forth. We have the Mercantile Library Association for Young Men, having a large and valuable library, a spacious and well conducted reading room, courses of lectures, debates and declamations, and doing a good deal of good: so also, with the Mechanic Apprentices Association with its excellent library. It is to be feared, however, that many young men are not waited upon to join these societies, and if they do join them, pains are not taken to interest them and aid them in a course of self-education. There is much more for churches and Sunday schools to do to send out a healthful influence upon young men and young women too. Young men, as we may see in the case of the dishonest one's already mentioned, many keep up appearances and not be suspected of dissipation or theft, and yet all the time be burdening their conscience in iniquitous ways. Our young men and young women are our jewels, their parents, hope and joy, and the expectation of the church and state,—shall we not exert ourselves to save them from the ruling extravagance of the day? do something to provide them with innocent recreation, and provide for the profitable use of their time when away from business? The old-fashioned way of having clerks and apprentices living in the house with their employers, and their manners and conduct watched over by them, ought to come into fashion again. Young men very generally now, drink of the intoxicating glass, and then they are exactly fitted to be entrapped by the bad of both sexes, who live by their contributions, and are ever on the watch to seize and drag them down to degradation and ruin.

Among the numerous courses of lectures now going on in this city worthy of particular mention, are those at the Lowell Institute. This week has commenced a course of twelve lectures on Chemical and Physical Geology, and a course of the same number on English Literature. Young men cannot do better than to attend such lectures and follow them up by reading on the subjects.

The churches in Boston are praying for an increased religious interest, and the prayer meetings are pretty well attended. A general interest in religion would reach the young, and not only remove them from danger, but put them in the way of usefulness and honor, to be their parents' joy and the supporters of all the great interests of society. X.

President Johnson delivered his annual message to both Houses of Congress on Monday last. He congratulates the country on the fact that peace, order, tranquility, and civil authority have been formally declared to exist throughout the whole of the United States; but while this is the case, the President deems it a subject of profound regret that Congress has thus far failed to admit to seats loyal Senators and Representatives from the other States, whose inhabitants, with those of Tennessee, had engaged in the rebellion. Their admission, it is believed, would have accomplished much towards the renewal and strengthening of our relations as one people, and removed serious cause for discontent on the part of the inhabitants of those States. Upon this question, so vitally affecting the restoration of the Union and the permanency of our present form of government, Mr. Johnson's convictions, heretofore expressed, have undergone no change; but on the contrary, their correctness has been confirmed by reflection and time.

The President is in favor of carrying into every department of the government a system of rigid accountability, thorough retrenchment, and wise economy. With no exceptional nor unusual expenditures, the oppressive burdens of taxation can be lessened by such a modification of our revenue laws as will be consistent with the public faith, and the legitimate and necessary wants of the government.

Fortifications on the coast and frontier have received, or are being prepared for more powerful armaments; lake surveys and harbor and river improvements are in course of energetic prosecution. Preparations have been made for the payment of the additional bounties authorized during the recent session of Congress, under such regulations as will protect the government from fraud, and secure to the honorably-discharged soldier the well-earned reward of his faithfulness and gallantry.

During the last fiscal year the amount paid to pensioners, including the expenses of disbursement, was thirteen million four hundred and fifty-nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-six dollars; and fifty thousand one hundred and seventy names were added to the pension rolls.

The entire number of pensioners, June 30, 1866, was one hundred and twenty-six thousand seven hundred and twenty-two. This fact furnishes melancholy and striking proof of the sacrifices made to vindicate the constitutional authority of the Federal government, and to maintain inviolate the integrity of the Union. They impose upon us corresponding obligations. It is estimated that thirty-three million dollars will be required to meet the exigencies of this branch of the service during the next fiscal year.

Treaties have been concluded with the Indians who, enticed into armed opposition to our government at the outbreak of the rebellion, have unconditionally submitted to our authority, and manifested an earnest desire for a renewal of friendly relations.

It is the subject of congratulation that no foreign combinations against our domestic peace and safety, or our legitimate influence among the nations, have been formed or attempted. While sentiments of reconcillation, loyalty, and patriotism have increased at home, a more just consideration of our national character and rights has been manifested by foreign nations.

The President trusts that France will adopt some resolution in regard to the evacuation of Mexico which will conform as nearly as practicable with her existing engagements.

It is a matter of regret that no considerable advance has been made towards an adjustment of the differences between the United States and Great Britan, arising out of the depredations upon our national commerce and other trespasses committed during our civil war by British subjects. in violation of international law and treaty obligations. The delay, however, may be believed to have resulted in no small degree from the domestic situation of Great Britan. An entire change of ministry occurred in that country during the last session of Parliament.

The attention of the new ministry was called to the subject at an early day, and there is some reason to expect that it will now be considered in a becoming and friendly spirit. The importance of an early disposition of the question cannot be exaggerated. Whatever might be the wishes of the two governments, it is manifest that good-will and friendship between the two countries cannot be established until a reciprocity in the practice of good faith and neutrality, shall be restored between the respective nations.

The President has a kind word for the Fenian prisoners in Canada. Fully believing in the maxim of government, that severity of civil punishment for misguided persons who have engaged in revolutionary attemps which have disastrously failed, is unscund and unwise, such representations have been made to the British government, in behalf of the convicted persons, as, being sustained by an enlightened and humane judgment, will, it is hoped, induce in their cases an exercise of clemency, and a judicious amnesty to all who were engaged in the movement.

The message closes with the following paragraph:—

Our government is now undergoing its most trying ordeal, and my earnest prayer is, that the peril may be successfully and finally passed, without impairing its original strength and symmetry. The interests of the nation are best to be promoted by the revival of fraternal relations, the complete obliteration of our past differences, and the reinauguration of all the pursuits of peace. Directing our efforts to the early accomplishment of these great ends, let us endeavor to preserve harmony between the co-ordinate departments of the government, that each in its proper sphere may cordially co-operate with the other in securing the maintenance of the Constitution, the preservation of the Union, and the perpetuity of our free institutions.

WOBURN LOCALS.

RELIGIOUS.—We are informed that Henry F. Durant, Esq., of Boston, will hold religious services in this place soon. Mr. Durant's success as an Evangelist, is fully established. He had charge of the services at Natick when Senator Wilson was converted.

MASONIC. — On Wednesday evening last, the following named persons were elected officers of Mount Horeb Lodge, for the year ensuing:—

W. M.—Thomas G. Davis.
S. W.—George H. Conn.
J. W.—Alvah S. Wood.
S. D.—Richard B. Bean.
J. D.—Joseph R. Kendall.
T.—Albert B. Johnson.
S.—Charles K. Conn.
S. S.—John R. Flint.
J. S.—Charles S. Pollard.

The larger portion of the sum of one thousand dollars, to be paid by the First Congregational Church of Woburn, toward the new church enterprise in Lexington, has been secured. The whole sum will be made up in a short time.

The Annual Ball of the Jacob Webster Engine Company, of North Woburn, on Friday evening last, was a perfect success. The company will give other like entertainments during the season, which promise to be very attractive.

At a meeting of Co. G, Capt. Cyrus Tay, commanding, held at their armory, on Monday evening last, it was voted to give a grand military and civic party in Lyceum Hall, on Friday evening, Dec. 21st. Music will be furnished by Hall's Quadrille Band of Boston. The hall will be splendidly decorated for the occasion by a Boston artist.

We learn that Taylor & Cook, shoe manufacturers, gave all the hands in their employ a turkey for Thanksgiving. To one of their men, with a family of six or seven children, they gave a splendid gobbler, weighing 14 pounds.

The water pipe feeder at Simonds & Son's factory, gave out on Saturday afternoon last, and the works were suspended in consequence. It is their intention to put in a new boiler, of sufficent capacity to carry all the machinery, and impart warmth to the building.

The recent warm weather has caused the lilac bushes and other shrubbery to bud as in spring. In some cases leaves have been formed.

WOOD AT AUCTION.—On Monday next, at 9 o'clock, A. M., William Winn, Esq., will sell at auction, all the wood standing on twelve acres of land, on the Walker Meadow, New Boston street. It consists of Oak, Maple, Pitch and White Pine. He will also sell the wood standing on the Cemetery lot, consisting of Oak, Pine and Birch. This sale will afford a rare opportunity for our citizens to supply themselves with wood for family use. In case of stormy weather, the sale will be on the next fair business day. See advertising columns.

Samuel F. Thompson, Esq., will sell at public auction, on Thursday next, at 1 o'clock, all the wood on thirteen acres of land, on the southerly side of Forest street, in Stoneham and Winchester. The growth is very handsome, and consists principally of oak and walnut. This is a very important sale and should receive attention. See notice in advertising columns.

PAYING DEAR FOR HIS RUM.—Lorenzo Searle was arrested on Monday, for obtaining a pint of rum, on Thanksgiving night, of the Town Agent, under false pretenses. He was taken before Trial Justice Converse, plead guilty, and fined $5 and costs. Let this be a warning to those who desire "the ardent," to keep truth on their side.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.—Workmen are now employed on Main street, between Hovey and Salem streets, in raising the grade of the same, to the extent of two feet. This is a much needed improvement, and will be a great public benefit. The top of the reservoir at the foot of Salem street, has been raised to the new grade of the street.

Our columns are more than usually crowded this week, and this must be our apology for curtailing some interesting details, furnished by our Winchester correspondent, respecting the new school house in that town.

SURPRISE PARTY.—On Tuesday evening last, the friends Mr. Luke Tidd, (comprising the whole Tidd family,) surprised him at his residence, it being the anniversary of his birth. After social conversation, and many warm greetings, the cloth was spread, and all partook of the good things, which were in abundance. Mr Tidd was 73 years of age on the day of the surprise.

FAIR AND FESTIVAL.—The Young Men's Liberal Christian Association, of North Woburn, held a fair and festival on Wednesday evening, which was well attended, some six hundred persons being present. The object was to raise funds to pay for an organ used in their hall of worship, and about $400 was raised for the purpose. It was a very successful affair throughout. The speaking was good, the supper excellent, the ice creams delicious; and all present passed a most agreeable evening. Mr. O. R. Still, the celebrated caterer, furnished the tables and gave his services gratuitously on the occasion. Lots of good things were left, after all had partaken of the abundance, which were sold at auction, at good prices, by S. F. Thompson, Esq. The Association would return thanks to their many friends for the bountiful supply of fancy articles, and also for cash contributions.

Some of our citizens are anxious to have a "street crossing" somewhere in the vicinity of the Central House. Pedestrians who happen in wet weather to be in that locality, look in vain for a safe place to cross, and make up their minds either that granite is very scarce or very high, or that our people are fond of wading in mud and slosh. We hope the Selectmen will view the premises, and decide to make the improvement.

At a convention of the Board of Selectmen and School Committee, on Thursday afternoon, Rev. H. C. Townley was unanimously elected a member of the School Committee, in place of Rev. Dr. J. C. Bodwell, resigned.

CONCERT.—A large audience gathered in the First Congregational Church on Thursday evening, to hear the musical entertainment prepared by Mr. Henry Carter, an English organist, now in this country, and Mr. Wm. H. Clarke, the organist of the church. These gentlemen sustained the instrumental portion of the programme, while four boys, with remarkable musical attainments, surprised the audience with their beautiful soprano voices, and their musical perfection and feeling. A musical critic who was present, from a neighboring city, has kindly furnished us with the following description of the concert:—

Master Breare's music appeared to be the most elaborate, and possessed difficulties with which many operatic singers might be perplexed. He acquitted himself, however, with honor, and, with apparent unconsciousness of the difficulties, sang with an ease and comfort which called forth commendations from many present. His voice is flexible, bird-like and sympathetic. His rendering of

"Angels ever bright and fair,
Take, oh take me, to your care,"

was very touching, and the impression made will not readily be effaced.

Master Sayer's voice is brighter and possibly more enthusiastic. He sings with more vigor, and his own ecstatic feelings seemed to find response in the audience. Master Buttrick's "In Paradiso," was a fine performance. The song tells of a bereaved mother, entranced at hearing, in fancy, her bright and lovely boy singing amid the cherub songs in Paradise. Master Laster's chief solo, was the celebrated Serenade by Gounod, sung by Madame Parepa with such success. His voice is of a very sweet quality, and blended finely with the organ. The combined voices in the "Part Songs," and "La Carita," reminded us of the effect of boy's voices at a musical service in York Cathedral.

The organ performances on this occasion deserve high commendation,—Mr. Carter opening with a Grand Prelude and Fugue, by Krebs, in the strict organ style, very intricate in its composition, and difficult of manipulation, the subject being given out at the first by the pedals alone. His playing, throughout, was steady, dignified, and distinct. Many of your readers may not be aware that all the heavy bass notes in a large organ can only be played by the *feet;* there being keys for them to press, like those for the fingers, but on a larger *scale*, called pedals. To obtain control of the feet so that they will perform difficult and rapid passages as smoothly as the hands, requires years of patient practising. Ordinary organists are content to be able to touch the simple bass notes of common church tunes, without ever branching out in real organ music, in which the feet are as important as the hands.

None but a great player could execute a fugue like the one referred to, and yet without doubt very few of the audience derived pleasure from listening to this piece. A fugue consists of a phrase of music given out by one part alone, which is termed the subject, imitations of which are consecutively followed by the second, third and fourth parts, added to the first, swelling continually with the full organ into grand harmony, with this same theme interwoven in various forms throughout the entire piece—the masterpiece of musical composition.

The Overture to "Oberon" was also brilliantly performed by Mr. Carter. This is legitimately an orchestral piece, but transcribed for the organ, gives a notable variety of effects, and the contrast in the registration was strikingly exhibited.

The offertoire de "Ste. Cecile," we remember of having heard Mr. Clarke perform upon the Great Organ in the Music Hall. It is a most beautiful composition in the free style. An interesting theme is given out by the pedals, with full organ, and worked up in different modulations to the close. Especially attractive is it where the melody is taken up with a subdued combination in the swell with the tremulant, while at the same time a light running arpeggio and chromatic movement is being played upon a liquid-toned flute. The climax near the end, gives a grand musical effect—the heavy pedal bass running and leaping from note to note in the scale, while the same beautiful theme is distinctly heard above all in the manuals.

Mr. Clarke's performances were very fine. Not only is his execution graceful, but his imagination, as displayed in the extempore "Storm Fantasie," is remarkable. He possesses an innate genius for music, and is above the many mere mechanical performers, whose execution exhibits indeed great application, but is entirely devoid of *soul*. How descriptive of the serenity of a summer evening were his opening ideas, and how artistically were introduced the distant thunder and the dismal forebodings of a tempest; then the crash of heaven's artilleries, the rage and fury of the whirlwind, and lastly the peaceful abatement and the joy expressed by the introduction of the fascinating "Turkish March!"

The "Hailstone Chorus," performed as an organ duet, deserves remembrance. The chorus, descriptive of the words "He gave them hail for rain. Fire, mingled with the hail, ran along the ground," is from Handel's Oratorio of "Israel in Eygpt." This grand piece formed a fitting close to the most successful concert ever given in this vicinity, and we trust that such entertainments of a classical nature will become more popular.

We cannot forbear to remark that the Messrs. Hook merit the highest praise for producing this sample of their master-workmanship in the art of organ building, as do also the people of this church, in Woburn, for their efforts in securing in good time, so fine an instrument.

Our readers will be glad to learn, by advertisement, that Rev. John Lord, LL.D., will deliver a course of lectures in Woburn, commencing on Monday evening next.

NOTICE.—We stop the press to state that Drs. P. Clark and B. M. Lawrence, of Boston, will give a course of Lectures in Woburn, beginning this evening. Subject, The Science of Life. Reform songs and Phrenological exhaminations of character, each evening. Seats free.

LYCEUM LECTURES.—Now that the Natural History Lectures are nearly over, the citizens of Woburn should bestir themselves to have a course of Lyceum Lectures for the coming winter. This is much needed, and if a few energetic men, interested for the public good, and willing to exert themselves, would take hold, in earnest, the thing could be accomplished easily. The citizens of Winchester have made arrangements for a course of six lectures on History, and certainly there can be no reason why we cannot support a course as well as they. Woburn has literary and scientific people enough to fill a large lecture room and amply pay for first class lectures. Then why not have them? All that is wanted is a little energy to start the thing; success ought surely to follow. It probably would be easier to obtain a good house to a course of six lectures, at one dollar, than a course of twelve at two dollars. Some people are waiting for the Natural History Society to take the initiative in this work, but it ought to be carried through by the citizens themselves. ATHOS.

WINCHESTER.

COLLISION.—On the evening of Thanksgiving day, as Mr. West and another gentleman were riding in a vehicle on Church, near Bacon street, towards the westerly part of the town, they came into collision with a vehicle coming from the opposite direction, which the darkness prevented them from seeing, containing Mr. Geo. W. Spurr and some members of his family. Mr. West and the gentleman with him were thrown out, their vehicle smashed up, and the horse freeing himself from the wreck, stood still. Fortunately the ground was very soft and these gentlemen escaped with only a few bruises. The other vehicle, as well as its occupants, escaped injury. This is a case which shows the necessity of *more light*.

THANKSGIVING.—Rev. Mr. Robinson officiated at the Union Service this day, in the Orthodox Church.

RELIGIOUS.—The observance of the anniversary of the first religious services of the Unitarian Society, on last Sunday morning, was quite an interesting occasion. The pastor preached a discourse from Acts, 28th chap. 22d verse. A brief sketch was given of the Sunday School formed some twelve years before, but which was disbanded after four years' continuance, for want of a place of meeting and of sufficient interest. During those four years quite a number of evening meetings were held, at which the clergymen from the neighboring towns mostly officiated. Eight years elapsed when Rev. S. R. Calthrop came to spend a Sunday with his friends in this town. About twenty-five people who heard of his coming, met in Dr. Winsor's parlor, and there, on Nov. 19th, 1865, listened to a sermon on Inspiration, which inspired them with a determination to hear more of the same gospel. Another service was held in Lower Lyceum Hall, Nov. 26, 1865, at which some 80 people were present. As the interest increased, a meeting was held on the following Wednesday evening, to secure a permanent organization. The hall in which the Society now meets was engaged, and the Winchester Unitarian Society had its first religious service, Dec. 3, 1865, some one hundred persons being present. A Sunday School was formed in the P. M., and 50 scholars came together as the nucleus of the present large, interested and interesting school.

The reverend gentleman then went on to show the peculiar claim which a liberal christian church had in a community like this, already supplied with christian preaching. This was dwelt upon and enforced with much earnestness, closing with an eloquent appeal to them, that as they had formed the living church in human hearts, they should go on to build the visible church,—the outward temple in which their hearts should love to worship on the Lord's day. At the Sunday School in the P. M., the anniversary of its formation was appropriately noticed. Remarks were offered by the pastor, Dr. Winsor and E. A. Wadleigh.

At the Orthodox Church, in the afternoon, there were services commemorative of Julia C. Prince, a much loved pupil in the Sunday School, of the age of 11 years, who died a few days previous of scarlet fever. She was a bright and promising girl, the oldest of her parents, who after a sickness of only two days passed from earth to her heavenly home. Sadly are these parents afflicted—half of the household band being on earth and half in heaven. The sympathies of all are with these afflicted ones in this their fifth bereavment of their little flock. May they feel that these, their children, are not lost, but gone before; that they are treasures laid up in heaven, and that by and by they may go home to meet them, to go no more out forever. Thanksgiving day to this family brought only mourning and sadness, while it ushered a new born spirit to its home on high. May they be enable to say from the depths of their hearts, "He doeth all things well."

LECTURES.—Last Sunday evening our citizens were favored with an opportunity to hear the famous lecture on "The Compensations of War," written by Rev. Henry Giles, and read by his friend, Mr. F. J. Nichols, in Lyceum Hall. Mr. Giles was struck with paralysis about fifteen months ago, and since that time has been incapable of any mental or physical action. He has a dependent family, and this lecture, written two years ago, but never delivered until now, is read for his benefit. The lecture is an able and interesting one. A collection was taken up at the close for Mr. Giles' benefit.

DEDICATION OF NEW HIGH SCHOOL HOUSE.—This long looked for event took place on Monday afternoon last, in the presence of a large audience of children, teachers, parents and friends.

The exercises commenced with singing by the pupils, after which Mr. Thomas P. Ayer, Chairman of the Sub. Building Committee, gave the introductory address, in which he briefly sketched the history of the building. The land upon which the building is situated, measures 300 by 250 feet, and a street 50 feet wide is laid out from Church to Dix Street, upon which the building fronts.

The main building is 60 by 42 feet, with an extension 28 by 14 feet. The lower story is 13 feet high, and the upper story 15 feet high. The main school room is 41 by 42 feet 3 inches, with a recess at the teacher's stand of 4 feet 6 inches. Ventilation is had by an air chamber in the chimnies. The room is furnished with 80 single desks and chairs of the latest and most approved pattern. Near the reading desks are bells and speaking tubes to the recitations rooms below; also a recess bell. The teacher's room is in the rear of his desk. In the lower story is a recitation room, 26 by 22 feet, furnished with a desk for the teacher and settees for the scholars. The dressing rooms are each side of the stairs, and between the stairways is a room, 22 by 16 feet, intended for an apparatus room. On the opposite side of the hall, which is 14 feet wide, is another room, 22 by 15 feet, which can be used for the town library and school committee, or for such other purposes as the town may designate.

In the cellar, which is 9 feet in the clear and cemented, are two Lawson Furnaces, for heating the building, and ample provision for coal and other fuel. The enterance to the cellar, from without, is a passage way through the extension, thus separating the two departments in that part of the building. The grounds connected with the building have been put in as good order as the lateness of the season would permit, and are inclosed with a substantial fence and wall. The total cost of land, building, furniture, &c., is about $17,000.

EXCELSIOR.

ARREST OF JOHN H. SURRATT.—Secretary Seward has received the following despatch from Hon. Charles Hale, U. S. Consul-General at Alexandria, in Egypt:—

I have arrested John H. Surratt, one of President Lincoln's assassins. No doubt about identity.

A LAST APPEAL FOR ARMS, MUNITION AND MONEY.

To the Centre of Woburn, John Murphy, Circle, No. 177.

At a meeting of the Centres and Delegates of the Fenian Brotherhood, of New York and vicinity, held at the Apollo Rooms, Prince Street, on Sunday evening, the 18th November, the following Resolution and accompanying Appeal were unanimously adopted. They have been approved at the Central Office of the Fenian Brotherhood, and apply with equal force to every Circle of the Fenian Brotherhood in America. The interchange of opinions at those meetings has ensured harmony of action, eliciting many important suggestions pertinent to the present Crisis in IRISH REVOLUTIONARY affairs:

Resolved, That the Centre of each Circle of the Fenian Brotherhood in New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City and vicinity, be instructed to send a Committee of its ablest and most prominent members to each house in the localities in which their Circles may be situated, and solicit from every Irishman, and the lovers of Liberty of all Nationalities, Arms, Munitions, and Money, in Aid of the Revolution about to be inaugurated in Ireland; and that the Names of those subscribing for the purposes referred to, and those who (being Irishmen) may refuse to contribute, be written on a Book of Record to be kept for that purpose in the Central Office, No. 19 Chatham Street, for future reference, and that the views of this Meeting may be placed before the World by an Appeal, to be published herewith.

COUNTRYMEN, FRIENDS AND BROTHERS.

Every item of information reaching us from Ireland proves it to be certain, beyond all question, that our countrymen at home are determined on war—war to the knife—and that this very year. The final struggle of our people with the foreigner will be soon inaugurated: the oppressed will meet the oppressor foot to foot, to battle for the very existence of our race and of our nationality. The issue is patent. Either we must succeed in this, our final struggle, and take our place among the nations of the earth, or be defeated, to be scattered broadcast as a people, despised, pointed at only with the finger of scorn, and ready to do battle for every country but our own. To the Irishman in America such an eventuality cannot fail to suggest the profoundest emotions. The degradations to which his kindred have been subjected for centuries, the sacrifices of a people offered as a holocaust at the shrine of despotism, the many miseries entailed by foreign domination, are to be washed away in the blood of the enemy, or live a perpetual curse in our defeat. The wrongs of the past must be righted by the manhood of the present. A nation which will not make sacrifices is unworthy of Freedom. That is a blessing which cannot be too highly prized by a people; it is one of the heliest gifts which God can bestow on man. And what greater sacrifice can be required of a people to gain that blessing than that of life, and every thing they hold most dear.

Our countrymen being resolved to fight against an old, an intolerent enemy, to wipe out the stigma of slavery, they risk life, property—all, on this struggle. It will be to the eternal credit or disgrace of their kindred in America, if this struggle be a glorious or disastrous one—if Ireland be a land crowned by the laurels of a victorious army, or reduced to the condition of an immense wilderness and charnel-house. Should Revolution in Ireland end in defeat; should the land be saturated with the blood of freedom's martyrs, shed in vain, let those in America who could, but would not, aid in the freedom of their native land, bear the humilation and shame! That the luke-warm and sceptical may no longer have any excuse for not giving that assistance to their compatriots at home, which is expected from them, we deem it our duty to place our views before world. Advocates of UNIVERSAL LIBERTY! but especially of LIBERTY IN IRELAND!! we have resolved to do all in our power, to sustain those of our kindred who keep garrison at home! That the struggle so imminent may be short and effective, we appeal to all our kindred in America—men and women—and to the lovers of freedom everywhere! to give what our brothers require. That no one claiming to have Irish blood in his veins may have any longer an excuse for not contributing in proportion to his means, a committee of gentlemen, properly accredited, will call upon all from whom aid is expected. That a permanent record of all those who will do their duty to Ireland at so important a crisis as this, may be kept for future purposes, as well as of those who, by their non-action, wish it recorded as their opinion that our race at last is conquered, the Committees instructed to collect Arms, War Material and Money, for the use of the Irish Republican Army, will hand in their list weekly at the Central Office, No. 19 Chatham Street, in this city. In the name of Liberty, Justice and Humanity, we appeal to all on behalf of a suffering but noble-minded people to subscribe liberaly, and at once!

CENTRAL OFFICE, 19 Chatham St., N. Y., Nov. 21, 1866.



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BOSTON, Dec. 8, 1866.

Rev. Dr. Lord's Lectures.

Rev. JOHN LORD, LL.D., who is now giving a Course of Lectures in Winchester, will also deliver a course in Woburn, in the Lecture Room of the Congregational Church, commencing Monday evening, Dec. 10, and continued on successive Monday evenings, until finished.

SUBJECTS. Lect. 1. HILDEBRAND — The Great Struggle in the Middle Ages between the Spiritual and Temporal Powers.

To be followed by subjects subsequently to be announced.

Tickets for the Course, $1. Single admission, 25 cents. dec8

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF Real Estate.

IN pursuance of the power of sale contained in the deed of mortgage dated September 25th, A. D., 1865, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 955, pages 241-247, made and executed to me, William M. Bailey, Trustee, by the Rubber Sole Shoe Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of Massachusetts, and having its place of business at Stoneham, in said County of Middlesex, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, I, the said William M. Bailey, Trustee, will sell by public auction, on the lot or parcel of land first hereinafter described, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of December, A. D., 1866, at 12 o'clock, noon:

All and singular, the several lots or parcles of land hereinafter described, and the fixtures connected therewith, the same being all the Real Estate described in said deed of Mortgage. All of said parcles of land are situated in said Stoneham, and are severally bounded and described as follows, namely:

First. A parcel of land with the factory, dwelling house and other buildings thereon, bounded, northeasterly on the old road leading from Stoneham to Malden, easterly on Washington street, so called, southerly on land now or late of Joseph Lynde, westerly on land now or late of Joseph Hurd, and northwesterly again on the same land to the point of beginning, containing, by estimation, eight acres and three quarters, more or less.

Secondly. A parcel of land with the buildings thereon, bounded, beginning at the easterly side of said Washington street, at the northwesterly corner of land now or late of said Lynde, thence northerly by said Washington street forty six feet more or less, to the southerly line of Wyoming street, thence turning and running easterly by said Wyoming street two hundred two feet, more or less to a stake, then turning and running south thirty-two degrees west (S. 32° W.) by land now or late of Michael Killian, fifty eight feet nine inches to a stake, then turning and running westerly by land now or late of said Lynde, two hundred eight feet to the point of beginning, containing ten thousand, six hundred seventy six square feet, more or less.

Thirdly. A parcel of land bounded, beginning at the northeasterly corner thereof, at the corner of the fence against the road leading from Stoneham to Malden, and at land now or late of Joseph Hurd, thence southeasterly against said road about two poles, six links to land now or late of said Hurd, thence bounded, easterly, southerly, westerly and northerly, on land now or late of said Hurd to the bound first mentioned. The said parcel of land is situated near the factory formerly of said Hurd and contains two acres, twenty poles, more or less.

The above described parcels of land are the same which were conveyed to the said Rubber Sole Shoe Company, by the N. Hayward Company, by deed dated September 14th, 1863, recorded in Middlesex Registry of Deeds, South District, Book 914, fol. 170-172.

Fourthly. A parcel of land near the Forest Mills, so called, bounded, beginning at the southeasterly corner thereof on Wyoming Avenue, so called, at the corner of land now or formerly of Nathaniel Hayward, thence southwesterly on land now or formerly of said Hayward, seven hundred sixty feet to the corner of a wall and land now or formerly of William Foster, thence northerly on said land of said Foster by the wall one hundred seventy-five feet, to land now or formerly of said Hayward, thence northerly on said land of said Hayward four hundred fifty-six feet nine inches to the corner of a wall, thence easterly on land of said Hayward one hundred thirty-six and six-tenths feet to the Old Road, thence easterly on the Old Road one hundred twenty and one-tenth feet to land of Grundy & Brother, thence southerly on land of said Grundy ninety-nine feet to a stake and stones, thence southeasterly on land of said Grundy thirty-nine feet to a stake and stones, thence northeasterly on said land of said Grundy one hundred thirty-four feet to a stake and stones, thence northerly on said land of said Grundy thirty-six and six-tenths feet to the Old Road, thence on the southerly side of said Old Road three hundred twenty-eight feet to the point of beginning, containing three acres one quarter two rods, and being the same premises commonly known as the Hurd Mill Lot.

Fifthly. A parcle of land lying north of the last described lot, bounded, beginning on the easterly side of Wyoming Avenue, at a point north of the point of beginning of the said last described lot, thence running from the wall northwesterly on said Avenue, seven hundred eighty-seven and three-fourths feet to land of heirs of Thomas Gould and corner of a wall, thence easterly on said land of said heirs seven hundred five and one half feet to the corner of a wall, thence southerly two hundred twenty-two feet to the point of beginning on said Wyoming Avenue, containing two acres three hundred twelve feet, being the lot commonly known as the New Road Lot.

Sixthly. Another parcel of land lying between Wyoming Avenue and the Old Road, bounded, Beginning at the Easterly corner and running Westerly on the Northerly side of the Old Road two hundred forty seven feet to land of Grundy & Brother and a stake and stones, thence Northerly forty seven feet on land of said Grundy by a wall, thence Westerly on land of said Grundy ninety nine and three tenths feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southerly thirty three and one half feet on said land of Grundy to the Old Road, thence Westerly on said Old Road, three hundred forty six feet to said Wyoming Avenue, thence Easterly on the South side of said Wyoming Avenue five hundred ninety eight and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing three fourths of an acre and forty one rods, being the Lot commonly known as the Old Road Lot.

Seventhly. Another parcel of land west of the parcel last described, and lying on the Southwesterly side of said Old Road and Wyoming Avenue, bounded, Beginning at the Easterly corner thereof and running on the Southerly side of said Old Road and Wyoming Avenue four hundred twenty five feet six inches to the corner of a wall and land now or late of William Foster, thence Southeasterly by a wall and land now or late of said Foster one hundred thirty one and four tenths feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southerly by a wall and land of said Foster one hundred ninety four feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southeasterly by a wall and land of said Foster fifty six and one half feet to land now or formerly of Nathaniel Hayward, thence Easterly on land of said Hayward three hundred forty eight and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing one and one half acres and thirty nine rods and being the Lot commonly known as the 'Northwest Lot.'

Eighthly. A parcel of Meadow land, lying south of the Rubber Factory, bounded, beginning at the northeasterly corner at the corner of land of John Buckman and Spot Pond Brook, thence Southerly on the land of said Buckman two hundred fifty-three feet more or less to a stake and stones, thence southwesterly fifty feet on land of Jona. Lynde to a stake and stones, thence westerly on land of said Lynde eighty-nine and one half feet to a stake and stones, thence northerly seventy-four feet on land of said Lynde to Spot Pond Brook, thence on Spot Pond Brook, following the course of the stream three hundred thirty-six and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing three quarters of an acre and three quarters of a rod, and being the Lot commonly known as the Meadow Lot.

Ninthly. Also all of the following rights reserved in the deed of Joseph Hurd to William Foster, dated May 1st, 1866, and recorded in Middlesex Registry Book 955, fol. 42—namely, the fifth Right then possessed and enjoyed by the said Joseph Hurd—and the right and privilege of building a new dam about six rods west of the present dam with all the lawful rights appertaining thereto and provided for such purposes, but to encroach no further on the banks of the brook than is necessary for abutments of such new dam, with such right of flowage as said Joseph Hurd possessed at the date of the said deed to the said Foster.

The parcles of land fourthly, fifthly, sixthly, seventhly and eighthly described, and the said reserved rights, were conveyed to the said Rubber Sole Shoe Company by the N. Hayward Company, by its other deed dated September 14, 1863, recorded in the Registry aforesaid, book 914, fol. 172, &c.

All the said parcles of land are conveyed with all the rights, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or usually enjoyed therewith.

Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale.

WILLIAM M. BAILEY,
Trustee, Mortgagee.

JHON H. CLARK, Auctioneer.

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WOOD AT AUCTION.

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To the Selectmen of the Town of Woburn.

The petition of the undersigned respectfully represents, that they have obtained a charter to build and construct a street Railroad from Woburn Centre, beginning at or near the Railroad Depot, on and over Main and Elm streets, to a point in North Woburn, under the general laws of this Commonwealth in regard to Street Railroads:

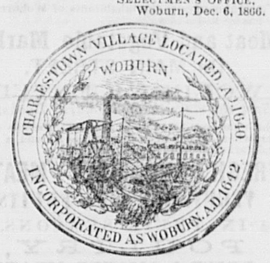
That they have formed a company, and accepted the Charter, and organized by the choice of officers, and in all things complied with the requirements of the statute, aforesaid.

We therefore, *pray you to locate* said street Railroad, on and over *Main* and *Elm streets*, in conformity with the Charter, and the laws of the Commonwealth in such case made and provided, and as in duty bound will ever pray, &c.

MOSES F. WINN, Pres.
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JONATHAN THOMPSON,
DAVID D. HART,
E. E. THOMPSON,
ALBERT THOMPSON, Sec.
} Directors.

North Woburn, Dec. 4th, 1866.

SELECTMEN'S OFFICE,
Woburn, Dec. 6, 1866.



At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Woburn, held this Thursday, Dec. 6th, 1866, it was ordered that the Clerk of the Board of Selectmen, give public notice to all parties interested in the above petition, that said Selectmen will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises, and hearing the parties, at the Depot in Woburn Centre, on FRIDAY, the 21st day of December, A. D., 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

A true copy.
E. E. THOMPSON,
Clerk Board of Selectmen.

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Town Meeting.



Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

MIDDLESEX ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Woburn, in said County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Woburn, qualified to vote in Town Affairs, to meet at the Town Hall, in said Woburn, on FRIDAY, the fourteenth day of December, A. D., 1866, at 3 1-2 o'clock, P. M., to act on the following articles, viz:—

Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will authorize and instruct the Selectmen to make application to the County Commissioners for Middlesex County, to set off to the Town of Woburn, for the enlargement of the Cemetery, a certain parcel or part of a lot of land, adjoining said Cemetery, and now owned by Rufus Wyman and others, or do anything in relation to the same.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant, by causing the same to be published in the Middlesex Journal, and posting an attested copy of the Warrant, at each of the public meeting houses within the town, seven days, at least, before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at or before the time of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands, and the seal of the Town affixed, this 6th day of December, A. D., 1866.

E. E. THOMPSON,
THOS. J. PIERCE,
LUKE R. TIDD,
F. C. PARKER,
E. F. POOLE,
WILLIAM TOTMAN,
D. O. BLANCHARD,
} Selectmen of Woburn.

A True Copy. Attest,
JOHN W. DAY,
Constable of Woburn.

The National Bank of South Reading.

THE stockholders of the National Bank of South Reading, are hereby notified that their Annual Meeting for the choice of Directors, and the transaction of any other business that may be legally brought before them, will be held at their banking house, in South Reading, on TUESDAY, the eighth day of January next, at half past two (2½) o'clock, P. M. By order,

LILLEY EATON, Cashier.

South Reading, Dec. 7, 1866. 5t

Married

At East Lexington, Nov. 22, by Rev. Wm. T. Stowe, Mr. John D. Smith, of Charlestown, to Miss Melinda, second daughter of Loammi Knight, of East Lexington. No Cards?

Died

In North Woburn, Dec. 6, Mary Thompson, wife of Dea. Chas. Thompson, aged 83 years, 9 months, 22 days. [Funeral from North Woburn Church, on Monday, Dec. 10th, at 1½ o'clock, P. M. Friends are invited.]

In Woburn, Nov. 30, Elizabeth Adaline Wetherbee, aged 45 years, 9 months, 24 days.

In Woburn, Dec. 2, Mrs Catherine Murphy, aged 60 years.

In Winchester, Dec. 3, Carrie Ham, aged 3 years, 3 months, 16 days

Sheriff's Sale.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

BY virtue of an execution, which issued on a judgment before Parker L. Converse, Esq., one of the Justices of the Peace within and for said county, on the thirteenth day of October, A. D., 1866, in favor of James P. Tyler, of Woburn, in said county, I have seized and taken all the right in equity that Otis Buckman, of Stoneham, in said county, had on the twenty-eighth day of November, A. D., 1866, or now has, to redeem the following described Mortgaged real estate, situated in said Stoneham, and bounded and described as follows, viz: A certain lot of land, situated in the central part of Stoneham, on the southerly side of Franklin street, at the junction of Franklin street and Pond street, containing about forty-six rods, be the same more or less, with a dwelling house and other buildings standing thereon, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of said premises, at the corner of the fence by said Franklin street and land of Aaron Stone; thence the line runs Southwesterly by said Stone's land to land of B. F. Bean; thence Northwesterly by said Bean's land to a post at said Pond street; thence Northeasterly by and on said Pond street, eight rods and two links, to a stake at the junction of said streets aforesaid; thence Southeasterly by and on said Franklin street, to the place of beginning; being the same premises Mortgaged by said Buckman to Luther and John Hill, of said Stoneham, April 3d, 1857, and recorded in Middlesex South Registry of Deeds, Book 785, page 379. And on TUESDAY, the *Eighth* day of January, A. D., 1867, at my office, in Woburn, No. 7 Wade's Block, at four o'clock, P. M., I shall offer for sale at Public Auction, said right in equity of redemption, to satisfy said execution, and all cost and charges of sale.

HORACE COLLAMORE, Deputy Sheriff.

Woburn, December 6th, 1866. 3t

Adjourned Sale of Wood at Auction.

To take place on MONDAY, Dec. 10, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M.,

ALL the wood standing on about 12 acres of Land, on what is called the Walker Meadow, on New Boston Street, in the Northeasterly part of Woburn, on the road leading from the Almshouse; consisting of OAK, MAPLE, PITCH and WHITE PINE. Much of the wood on this lot is of large size, and is accessible at all seasons of the year.

ALSO, the wood standing on what is called the Cemetery Lot, situated on Salem and Beach Sts., consisting of Oak, Pine, with a large proportion of White Birch. This is a very desirable opportunity, lying as it does on two streets, for citizens to supply themselves with wood for family use.

The attention of the citizens of Woburn Centre is called to the above.

☞ TERMS MADE KNOWN AT SALE.

If stormy, the sale will take place on the next pleasant business day.

Sale to commence at Walker Meadow.

Per Order of MORRILL WYMAN.
WM. WINN, Auctioneer.

Woburn, Dec. 8, 1866.

Standing Wood
AT AUCTION.

I shall sell at Auction, on THURSDAY, Dec. 13th, 1866, at 1 o'clock, P. M., in lots, all the wood standing on about 13 acres of Land, on the Southerly side of Forest street, in Stoneham and Winchester, and near the house of Mr. Coffin. The growth, which is very handsome, consists principally of OAK and WALNUT.

Access is perfectly easy at all seasons. The location of the lot, and the superior quality of the wood, should cause this to be the most attractive sale of the season to buyers in Stoneham, Winchester and East Woburn.

☞ TERMS AT THE SALE.

If stormy on the day named, the sale will be on the next fair business day, at the same hour.

By order of heirs of Dea. CALVIN RICHARDSON.

Dec. 8th, 1866. 1t

AUCTION in WOBURN CENTRE.

ON SATURDAY, Dec. 15th, 1866, at 1 o'clock, P. M., 20 tons of Salt Hay, 6 tons of English and Run Hay, at the barn formerly owned by J. G. Flagg, Esq.

WILLIAM WINN, Auctioneer.

dec 8—1t

FALL and WINTER
CLOTHING.

The undersigned beg to call the attention of their friends and the public to their stock of

OVERCOATINGS,
BROADCLOTHS,
BUSINESS COATINGS,
FANCY CASSIMERES,
DOESKINS,
MELTONS,
VESTINGS, &c., &c., &c.

which they are prepared to make up in the most thorough and stylish manner, at

Low Prices.

Furnishing Goods

of all kinds, constantly on hand.

G. R. GAGE & CO.,
BANK BLOCK, WOBURN.

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Christmas Presents,
in large variety, at
WOUBRN BOOKSTORE.

dec 1—1m*

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have formed a limited copartnership, under the name and style of JAMES SKINNER & CO., for five years, from July 1st, 1866, for the manufacture of Patent, Enameled, and Curried Leather.

JAMES SKINNER,
SIMON BLAKE.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866. 3t

RICH MILLINERY GOODS.



MRS. ATWOOD, 401 Washington Street, Boston, has just received a rich stock of Bonnet Velvets, Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and a choice selection of Hats and Bonnets, which will be sold at very low prices. Please call before purchasing elsewhere. nov17—4t

$75.000 Worth
—OF—
BOYS' AND YOUTHS'
CLOTHING
AT THE
NEW STORE,
43 and 45 Summer st.
BOSTON.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT
—OF—
OVERCOATS
—AT—
Low Rates.

GEO. W. CARNES.

dec 1—1m

GUARDIAN'S SALE.

BY virtue of a license of the Probate Court for the County of Middlesex, the subscriber, as Guardian of GEORGE F. CUTTER, a minor, will sell at public auction, on MONDAY, the tenth day of December, 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M., on the premises, one undivided third part, subject to widow's dower, of about two acres of meadow land, situated in Winchester, in said County; bounded southerly on Woburn Branch Railroad, northwesterly on land of Andrew Shephard, northeasterly on the Abijona river, southeasterly on land of heirs of James F. Baldwin, deceased, the same having formerly belonged to Andrew Cutter, deceased.

JOHN H. WOODWARD, Guardian.

Winchester, Nov. 23d, 1866. 3t*

TO OWNERS OF HORSES AND CATTLE.

TOBIAS' DERBY CONDITION POWDERS ARE warranted superior to any others, or no pay, for the cure of Distemper, Worms, Bots, Coughs, Hidebound, Colds, &c., in Horses; and Colds, Coughs, Loss of Milk, Black Tongue, Horn Distemper, &c., in Cattle. These Powders were formerly put up by Simpson I. Tobias, son of Dr. Tobias, and, since his death, the demand has been so great for them, that Dr. Tobias has continued to manufacture them. They are perfectly safe and innocent; no need of stopping the working of your animals. They increase the appetite, give a fine coat, cleanse the stomach and urinary organs; also increase the milk of cows. Try them, and you will never be without them. Hiram Woodruff, the celebrated trainer of trotting horses, has used them for years, and recommends them to his friends. Col. Philo. P. Bush, of the Jerome Race Course, Fordham, N. Y., would not use them until he was told of what they are composed, since which he is never without them. He has over 20 running horses in his charge, and for the last three years has used no other medicine for them. He has kindly permitted me to refer any one to him. Over 1,000 other references can be seen at the depot. Sold by Druggists and Saddlers. Price 25 cents per box. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York. nov1—1m

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Have constantly on hand, a large and selected stock of

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CORN and OATS

ground together, from the best of grain, a superior feed for Horses.

MIDDLINGS,
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SHORTS,
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GRAHAM FLOUR,	RYE MEAL,
BUCKWHEAT,	HOMINY,
SAMP,	WHEAT GROATS,
CORN STARCH,	FARINA.

The above we offer in any quantity, at the VERY LOWEST PRICES, warranting all.

By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to continue to receive the patronage of the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity.

C. T. HENCHMAN & CO.

dec 1

HAND-KNIT SHAWLS
—AT—
A GREAT SACRIFICE!!
JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.

Having bought the entire stock of a well known Manufacturer of

HAND-KNIT SHAWLS,
—AT—
A GREAT DISCOUNT!!!

will give their retail customers the benefit of the purchase.

We shall offer on MONDAY, Nov. 19,
550 Shawls at $4.00—former price $6.00.
150 " at $4.50— " " $6.50.

The selection embraces many new styles, and the goods have all been made this season.

John Harrington & Co.,
17 Tremont Row, Boston. 17

dec 1—m ONE PRICE ONLY.

GAMES AND TOYS,
FOR
GIRLS AND BOYS,
AT
Woburn Bookstore.

dec 1—1m*

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the style of F. C. TAYLOR & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. MR. HENCHMAN is alone authorized to settle accounts for and against the late firm.

F. C. TAYLOR,
C. T. HENCHMAN.

Woburn, Nov. 28, 1866.

The undersigned will continue the grain business at the old stand of F. C. TAYLOR & Co., first door south of the Central House, where we shall ever be happy to see the old patrons of the store, and by using the greatest care in selecting our stock, and offering it at the lowest prices, shall hope to merit the patronage of the public generally.

C. T. HENCHMAN & Co.

Woburn, Dec. 1.—1m

BANK NOTICE.

The stockholders of the first National Bank of Woburn, are hereby notified, that their Annual Meeting will be held at their banking rooms, in Woburn, on TUESDAY, January 8th, 1867, at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M., for the choice of Directors for the ensuing year; also for the transaction of any other business which may legally come before them. Per order,

E. J. JENKS, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866.

HUNNEWELL'S
CONSUMPTIVE *REMEDY.*

By the most careful comparison of this distressing complaint, with the chances of relief, or a *permanent cure*, I am satisfied that the above named preparation which has been fully tested in detail with the various phases of what are called

CONSUMPTION,

Or, Chronic Nervous Cough,

That it is not only perfectly adapted, but that the complaint has at last found a CONQUEROR. I can only assure such that cases can be referred to, where they were *declared incurable*, which have all the promises of a long life as ever, and with confidence to use it, or correspond with me.

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PRICE, ONE DOLLAR PER BOTTLE.
SIX BOTTLES FIVE DOLLARS.

Carefully packed to send by Express.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Gloves & Mittens.

GENT'S BEAVER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

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LADIES' OTTER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

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MENS' HEAVY PLYMOUTH BUCK GLOVES.

BOY'S HEAVY PLYMOUTH BUCK GLOVES.

With a good assortment of LOW PRICED

LEATHER GLOVES and MITTENS.

A. WOOD.

NO. 11 WADE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

From the late Fire!

G. R. GAGE & CO.,

HAVE just received a lot of Goods suitable for Overcoats and Business Suits, saved from the late fire in Franklin street, Boston, and they are now prepared to manufacture Garments from them at a reduction of more than fifty per cent. on former prices. They are in no way inferior to higher priced Goods, having only been slightly damped. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those who have not been able to purchase an Overcoat at the higher prices. nov24: tf

WINTER GOODS.

MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

MEN'S PLAIN SHETLAND SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

MEN'S WOOL SOCKS.

MEN'S WOOL GLOVES AND MITTENS.

BOY'S WOOL SOCKS.

BOY'S WOOL MITTENS.

With a good assortment of

GENT'S AND BOY'S FINE CLOTH GLOVES.

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Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

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STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,
AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.

A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

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DENTAL NOTICE.
Limitation Four Months.

DR. S. STOCKING, Dental Surgeon, No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON, in consideration of the unusual dullness of the present season, proposes to his old patients and others needing dental operations, a reduction of his fees to the old standard before the war, except where Gold or Platina Plate is used. This liberal arrangement for the next four months will bring the price of setting and filling teeth within the reach of all, so that those who can raise the small sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents, can have in return a full set of teeth on rubber, with false gums, that will vie with Nature herself for beauty, adaptation and usefulness. dec 1

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Frank B. Dodge,
Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

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JEWELRY,
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SILVER WARE,
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&c., &c., &c.,

His stock consists of all kinds of

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PLATED WARE,

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Engraving Done to Order.

All goods sold by me, engraved free of charge.

Frank B. Dodge,
OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866.—2m

BOSTON AND LOWELL

And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

[redacted] ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8.8 am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8†, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p.m
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.13, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7-22, 8.30, a.m. 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30*† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m. 2.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.54, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05, 7.40, 9.00, 10-24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.

*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2 15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston, 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.
†Wednesdays at 10.15 p m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham,‡ at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5 52, and 7-32, 8.52, 10.15, A M, 1.00, 4-52, and 6.30, P M.

‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11 30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p. m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent,
B. L. and N. & L. R. R.

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FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any moment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

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Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

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N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

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Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,596,282.60
Liabilities,	130,385.13

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J. H. WASHBURN, Ass't Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.
Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

QUINCY MUTUAL

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Household Furniture,
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And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

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This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.
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S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.

LADIES, you should by all means attend this Closing-Out sale. We are selling at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

S. S. HOUGHTON & CO.
45 and 47 Tremont Street,
Nearly opposite the
BOSTON MUSEUM.
nov17

SPECIAL NOTICE.

EXPECTING in a little time to remove to Washington street, we offer our entire stock, consisting of elegant

DRAWING ROOM,
LIBRARY,
DINING ROOM
AND CHAMBER

Furniture!

Comprising as good and well selected stock as can be found in Boston, which we will sell at a LARGE DISCOUNT FROM REGULAR PRICES.

Purchasers will find it for their interest to visit our Warerooms, in the spacious Hall over the Passenger Depot of the Boston and Maine Rrilroad, Haymarket Square.

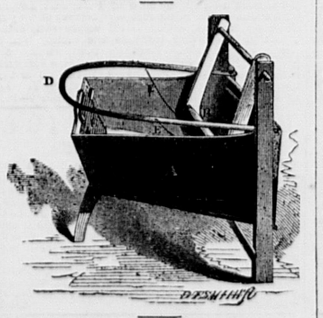
☞ Particular attention given in packing goods to go out of the city, and WITHOUT CHARGE TO THE PURCHASER.

BUCKLEY & BANCROFT,
Over the Passenger Depot, Haymarket Sqare.
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THE

UNION WASHER!

Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board combined.



THE Union Washer combines an excellent Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board, in a most compact, convenient and portable form, is pronounced by all who have used it a perfect matchine, and just the thing that every family needs.

If desired, a *wringer* may be attached to the back of the box.

This machine is operated with the greatest ease, even by a child eight or ten years old; washes with great rapidity, and does not wear the clothes.

DIRECTIONS.—For washing three sheets, or about that quantity of clothing, put in 10 quarts of water.

TRY IT, and save your time, strength and clothes.

Persons wishing to try one of these Machines, with a view of purchasing if satisfactory, can do so by applying to the manufacturer,

C. H. EDMANDS, Summer St., Lynn, Mass.
nov 10—2m

"Save that Old Hat!"
AND SEND IT TO
WORTMAN'S,
27 Portland St., Boston,

And have it made Fashionable and to look as good as new.

GENTS' KERSEY HATS made to order for $5.00.
nov 17—4t

MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!
AND
FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,
WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to
CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.
oct13—6m

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,
116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜

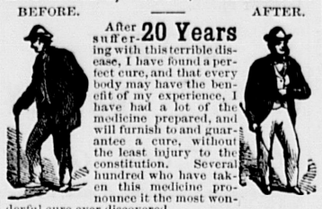
WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES
MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,
No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,
Nearly opposite Park Street Church.
sept22—2m

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



After suffering with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

20 Years

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.
july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. He trusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
JOS. B. McDONALD.
Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes*, but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,
260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.
sept29—3m

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver*, and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Brice 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,
MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.
sept29—3m

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.
SPARROW HORTON,
feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,
Immediately.
Apply at P. TEARE'S.
oct13—tf

HEALTH

AND

WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept—and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

AUTUMN, 1866.

NEW GOODS,
FOR
GENTLEMEN'S
GARMENTS.

J. Pierpont Collins,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
HAS JUST RECEIVED AND IS NOW OPENING
A SPLENDID STOCK OF
NEW AND CHOICE STYLES OF
GOODS
—FOR—
Gentlemen's Garments,
EMBRACING MANY NEW AND DESIRABLE STYLES, NOT TO BE FOUND ELSEWHERE.

Prices are Low, but the Garments cannot be surpassed for Style of Cut, good Trimmings or Thorough Manufacture.

GIVE ME A CALL AT
CHAMBERS
BOSTON.
J. PIERPONT COLLINS.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING.

J. Walter Reed,
HAS REMOVED HIS
BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING,
TO CHAMBERS
300 Washington St.,
Corner Suffolk Place, (a few doors South of West Street.)

The new stock is one of the LARGEST ever shown in Boston, and will be sold at LOW PRICES. A large assortment of the newest styles of PIECE GOODS is now on hand, which will be sold by the yard or made into garments for

Gentlemen, Youth or Boys.
nov 3—3m

MY CLOCK WON'T GO!

Then have it repaired and

Warranted for Three Years,
AT
J. J. BEALS & CO.'S,
No. 101 Union Street, Haymarket Square, BOSTON,

Having facilities second to none in New England for repairing Clocks of every description, we guarantee perfect satisfaction.

Clocks sent for and returned in Boston without extra charge Orders by mail solicited.
nov 3—3m

The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two

HARRISON'S PERISTALIC LOZENGES

regularly every night, you will get rid of COSTIVENESS, which is the cheaf cause of PILES, either bleeding or blind. We want every person to try our Lozenges, and they will thank us for calling their attention to them. One after dinner or supper banishes every form of Indigestion. Two move the bowels once only, and never gripe, or require increase of dose, thus differing from all PILLS.

For HABITUAL CONSTIPATION they excel every other remedy.

J. S. HARRISON & CO., Proprietors,
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Sold everywhere, or will be mailed on inclosing 60 cents. oct 13—1y

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OFFICE:
No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.
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WOBURN CENTER.

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,

AND

UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct 27—3m

G. LAMKIN,

DEALER IN

Boots and Shoes,

No. 10 Tremont Row,
BOSTON.

Established in 1849.

Jobbing & Retail.

EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Boots and Shoes,

☞ OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE. ☜

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

G. LAMKIN,
NO. 10 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct27—3m

LEARNARD & HARTLEY.

CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
oct20 3m BOSTON.

Hats and Bonnets.

THE BEST AND CHEAPEST PLACE TO BUY HATS AND BONNETS IS AT

MRS. ATWOOD'S,
401 *Washington Street,* . . . . . *Boston.*
nov17—4t

LADIES, before purchasing your Bonnets and Hats, please call at Mrs. ATWOOD'S, 401 Washington street, and examine her styles.

A. B. COFFIN,
ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR at LAW
No. 4 NILES BLOCK, BOSTON
Entrance from Court Square and 33 School St.

Hair Work.

KEEPSAKES, useful and ornamental, made of Children's and Grown Person's Hair, in innumerable variety and styles, at

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L. CHRISTEN & CO.
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OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.
(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connection with any peddlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 75 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. Jan29—1y

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C. S. ADKINS,
DEALER IN
BOOKS, STATIONERY,
PERIODICALS,
Confectionery, &c. &c.,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Woburn and vicinity to a good assortment of

Books, Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, Ink, Sand, Mucilage, Sealing Wax, and all articles usually found in a Stationery Store.

Daily Papers and Periodicals of the day.
Sheet Music—Vocal and Instrumental.
Violin and Guitar Strings.

CONFECTIONERY of all kinds, and of the best quality.

Also, HOVEY'S HAIR BALM, one of the best preparations for the Hair, offered to the public.

Next door to the Post Office,
Main Street, Woburn, Mass.

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED
in the
Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.
feb24—1y

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, Jr.
Woburn, March 17, 1866.

TO THE LADIES.—Don't pay the high prices asked for Hats and Bonnets, but go to Mrs. A. L. ATWOOD'S, 401 Washington street, where you can purchase at reasonable prices.

GREAT EXPOSITION
—OF—

Dress Furs!

Our choice selection of FUR GARMENTS for the coming Winter will be opened for the inspection of the public

NOVEMBER 1st, 1866.

The goods presented for public approval will consist in part of Garments made from

Russian Sable,

The most valuable of all Furs.

Hudson Bay Sable,

which ranks next in elegance and variety to the Russian.

EASTERN AMERICAN SABLE,
A popular and desirable Fur,

ERMINE,
ASTRACHAN,
RUSSIAN SQUIRREL,

Besides many other varieties.

All Furs are originally very irregular in shape, and often contain many imperfections, thus requiring the utmost care and skill in the preparation and manufacture, and thorough experience and rare judgment in their selection.

We would particularly call attention to our facilities for the preparation and display of goods of this description, for which purpose we now occupy the whole of THE ELEGANT BUILDING,

145 and 147 Washington Street,

which, with one exception, is THE LARGEST RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT OF THE KIND IN THE COUNTRY, unsurpassed for the facilities for transacting this business.

Our Furs are originally selected in the raw state by Mr. MARCUS COOK, who has had a valuable experience of twenty years in the business—and are personally inspected by him in every stage of their manufacture; no garment being allowed to be displayed for sale until perfect in every respect, both as regards

SUPERIORITY OF KIND
AND
EXCELLENCE OF MANUFACTURE.

☞ All FURS sold by us are warranted NATURAL COLOR.

. OLD FURS re-made and taken in exchange.

Cook & Aldrich.
145 & 147 Washington St.,
(Opposite the Old South.) BOSTON.
nov17—4t

NEW
Meat & Vegetable
MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market
On MAIN STREET,
WOBURN CENTER.

First door south of Woburn Bookstore, which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,
VEGETABLES and FRUITS,
IN THEIR SEASONS,
POULTRY,
DRIED & SMOKED MEATS
AND
HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,
of the very best quality.
GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.
Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.

CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Parian & Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.



PLATED WARE,
Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

ALSO, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,
33 Hanover, near Court street, Boston.

HORACE COLLAMORE
DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.
OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,
Woburn Centre.

SPRINGFIELD
FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,
AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.
nov3

W. B. ELLIS & CO. 28 Bromfield st. Boston.

OFFER AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
A large assortment of
WINDOW SHADES, LACE CURTAINS,
AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS.

New Goods constantly received.

Drapery Curtains put up in the best manner, at reasonable prices.

W. B. ELLIS & CO.,
28 Bromfield st., Boston.
nov 17—4t

HAVE YOU SEEN THOSE
GOOD CIGARS,
—AT—
GROSVERNOR & CO.'S

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.
JOHN L. PARKER, Agent,
WOBURN, MASS.
OFFICE, KELLEY'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET.

CHARLES A. SMITH,
DEALER IN
American and Foreign
DRY GOODS,
Bank Block, - - Woburn

SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,
Woburn, Mass.
Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,
IN WOBURN,
AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.
Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,
Physician & Surgeon,
PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,
1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,
(The same house he occupied in 1844.)
Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.
Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

CENTRAL HOUSE
Livery, Hack, and Boarding
STABLE,
MAIN STREET, WOBURN.
G. F. JONES, Proprietor.
feb3—1y

F. L. GERALD,
VETERINARY SURGEON,
MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.
Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Splents, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

$890 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

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FOR SALE.
BOOKS! BOOKS!
STATIONERY,
INTERNAL REVENUE STAMPS,

Newspapers, Periodicals,
Almanacs, Diaries,
Sheet Music, Portfolios,
Engravings, Photographs,

Picture Frames,
Photograph and Tintype
ALBUMS,
STEREOSCOPES WITH FINE VIEWS!
WALNUT BRACKETS,
Fancy Goods and Children's Toys,
in great variety.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

Paper Hangings & Curtains,

Of the latest styles, &c., &c.,
at the
LOWEST CASH PRICES.

The people of Woburn and vicinity are respectfully invited to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

SPARROW HORTON.
Woburn Bookstore.
Woburn, Feb. 17, 1866.—tf

E. P. WHITE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,
86 North St., Boston.
E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH
Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for
Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,
and for the
ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.
aug25—6m

PERSON'S ORIGINAL
WEATHER STRIP
DEPOT,
151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151
Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter.*

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.
oct20—3m

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

B. F. HEBARD & SON,
149 Broad street, Boston, Mass.
oct6—3m

HEADQUARTERS FOR
FIGS
IN DWARF PACKAGES.

J. F. CONANT & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Fruit Dealers. FIGS in ¼, ½, ¼ and 1 lb. round and oval boxes CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

50 & 51 Chatham Street.....Boston.

J. F. CONANT, F. F. CONANT, H. GREEN.
oct 27—3m

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Middlesex Journal.

Devoted to the Local Interests of Woburn, Winchester, Stoneham, Reading, North & South Reading, Wilmington, Burlington and Lexington.

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The Season of Storms.

The blasts of autumn and the chill storms of early winter are apt to make sad inroads upon the constitutions of the feeble. In old times at the commencement of every season it was the fashion to take a strong cathartic as a safeguard against a change of temperature. It was a worse than senseless practice. The people of our day understand the matter better. Instead of depleting the system they reinforce it. In the method they adopt they exhibit a wise discrimination. Instead of resorting to the vitiated stimulants of commerce, or any of the compounds derived from them, they put their faith in the only absolutely pure invigorant procurable in the market—HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Their faith is well founded. Never has any tonic medicine been prepared with such scrupulous precission and conscientious care. It is a vegetable compound of which every ingredient is sound, wholesome, and *medicinal* in the true sense of the word. Now we have three prominent national complaints. One-half of the adult population of the United States suffer more or less, either from disease of the stomach, derangements of the liver, or affections of the kidneys. In no other land under Heaven are those maladies so general as in this country, and HOSTETTER'S BITTERS is a specific for them all, unless organic in their origin, and, therefore, beyond cure. And let those who are fortunate enough to be exempt from them at present understand one great fact, viz: that an occasional use of this vitalizing tonic will as certainly prevent them as the sun will prevent the earth from freezing where its genial beams descend.—*Communicated.* nov 24—1m

INVASION!

Do you wish to have your hair cauterised from the scalp? No. Then beware of the new brood of Vitriolic and Caustic Dyes got up by nostrum-mongers, who bear the same relation to the responsible Chemist that

Pirates and Privateers

bear to honest merchantmen. Remember that the experience of years, and the very highest scientific endorsements, gurantee the superiority of

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE

over every other in use. It is purely vegetable, infallible and instantaneous. Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers. dec 1—1m

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

BEST STRENGTHENING PLASTER IN THE WORLD.

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS resolve and assuage pain by calling forth the acrid humors from parts internal to the skin and general circulation—thus, in many cases, positively evaporating the disease. SAMES LULL, M. D.

There is nothing equal, in the way of a plaster, to the Porous Plaster of Mr. ALLCOCK. Everything is pleasant about them. They are the plaster of the day, and a fit type of our present advancement in science and art. In Asthma, Cough, Kidney Affections, Gout, Rheumatism, and local deep-seated pains, they afford permanent relief.

J. F. JOHNSON, M. D., on "Topical Remedies."

From a personal knowledge of these plasters, we can state that they are decidedly preferable to any other in use. Wherever relief is to be obtained by the use of a plaster, we should recommend them.

A. INGRAHAM, M. D., Editor *New York Mentor.*

Agency, Brandreth House, New York.

Sold by all Druggists. dec 1—1m

DR. P. MEREDITH, Dentist, office No. 132 West Sixth Street, states as follows:

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We mourned the old chivalric times,
Their virtues, with their glories, dead—
Life stricken wholly from romance—
"And what is left to us?" we said.
Up through the land the murmur rose:
"Oh for the days that are no more,
When love of God wrought love of man,
And all were human to the core!
The great Arthurian days we mourn,
And all the lapsing years that wrought
Change after change, yet evermore
Some varying phase of splendor caught;
Still noble deeds, still gentle lives,
Till every knightly heart grew cold,
And Valor's sunset radiance lit
The tourney of the Cloth of Gold.
The poetry of earth *is* dead:*
What lesser grief should we bemoan,
With Science in the place of Faith,
With quicken'd brains and hearts of stone?
Our noblest triumphs mock our skill,
We link the Continents in vain—
It only tends to sordid ends,
And whets the appetite for gain."
So from our lips remonstrance fell,
When through the land a rumor went—
"The old heroic fire revives—
Its pulsing fervor is not spent!
The record of the glowing past
Shows in its dim and doubtful page
No deed like that which greets the eyes
Of this debased, prosaic age.
For, lo! a Queen of sovereign sway,
Of zoneless empire, quits her throne,
Stopping to welcome one who comes
A stranger, nameless and unknown:
No comely youth in knightly guise
Shining at ruffled beauty's knees—
A silver head, a homely form—
No more the queenly woman sees.
No more; but in her heart there glows
The memory of a noble deed,
Of succor to her people lent,
Of princely aid in sorest need.
And gracious is her tearful smile
As forth she thrusts a trembling hand,
And bids him in her name receive
The homage of her grateful land."
Homage to Goodness! Queenly meed
Of generous thanks to simple Worth!
Thus does the old chivalric soul
Survive in us of later birth;
Nor doubt its promptings in the heart
Of him—his nation's noblest son—
The largesse of whose liberal hand
A sovereign's thanks has rightly won.
Never did truer beauty clothe
The radiant limbs of courtly knight,
Than clothes that brow serenely smooth
And fills those eyes with gentle light.
To latest times that homely form,
And that familiar, kindly face,
The holier memories of men
Will with a tender beauty grace.
Where'er that honored name is heard
The tears will gleam in woman's eyes:
The hearts of men will stir and creep,
And blessings to their lips will rise.
Though Science joined the sunder'd worlds,
It needed yet what he has done—
A noble action, meekly wrought,
Has knit the hearts of both in one.
Yes, and as, far above the glow,
When all the West is fierce with flame,
A faint star brightens to the night,
Deep'ning about it—so his fame
Surviving all the transient bloom
That makes the passing present bright
Will shine, and still resplendent shine,
An orb ot ever-gathering light.

—"The poetry of earth is never dead." [Keats.
London Society. S.

THE PEACHES.

When summer flowers begin to fade,
And Summer leaves begin to fall
One here, one there: in juicy strength,
The peaches redden on the wall,
And so, indead, hot youth being past,
Our lives should show their fruit fall fast.

The peaches redden on the wall,
Hiding in hollow cells of green,
Where planted leaves hang thick about,
And scarce permit them to be seen.
And so, in truth, good deeds should be
Concealed in sweet humanity.

The peaches redden on the wall,
Close set upon low branching trees;
And any hand may easy touch
The gifts that the eye easy sees.
And so with us, 'tis well for each
To keep within the other's reach.

The peaches redden on the wall:
They take the kisses of the sun,
The joy-tears of the flying cloud,
The darkness when the day is done.
And thus, well used, the changing hour
Will help us to a larger power.

The peaches redden on the wall,
To drop when chilly winds shall blow;
But careful hands are swift to stay
Their fragrant lives from ending so.
And surely thus a Hand will save
The good from falling in the grave.

The peaches redden on the wall—
But look up higher overhead,
Where all the vastness of the sky
With faintest, calmest blue is spread.
And what is that from where we stand
But blue mist hiding Fatherland?

The peaches redden on the wall,
Though night's dark curtain drips with dew;
The white stars show themselves, and shine
Through mounded cloud and hovering blue.
And on, to feel "past fruit and tree,
The Lights of Home shine forth for me!"

[Chamber's Journal.]

THE WIND AMONG THE LEAVES.

In Summer when the sky was bright,
The wind a wandering minstrel gay,
Among the leaves, by day and night,
Piped many a merry roundelay.
Oh, then the merriest wight 'twould cheer,
Beneath the greenwood's shadowy eyes,
To lie at ease, and dream and hear
The wind among the leaves!

But now the Summer days are o'er;
The robber Frost disrobes the trees;
The wind's a minstrel gay no more,
And only sings sad melodies.
O'er earth and sky the wizard Mist,
By night, a shroud-like mantle weaves;
And sadness shrouds my soul to list
The wind among the leaves.

Cold airs have struck the insects dumb;
The birds, but mope, no care to sing;
And scarce a bee will dare to hum
Abroad, till comes the tardy Spring.
We feel a vauge, though vain, regret,
Wherewith the yearning bosom heaves;
But hark! one songster's with us yet,
The wind among the leaves.

Earth's glories all, like dreams, depart;
Her bloom and beauty soon decay;
And thou, too, whosoe'r thou are,
Like leaves and flowers, must pass away;
This is the mourful monody,
The meaning that my heart perceives,
When in the Autumn sings to me
The wind among the leaves.

LOVE.

They sin who tell us love can die,
With life all other passions fly.
All others are but Vanity;
But Love is indestructible;
Its holy flame for ever burneth;
From heaven it came—to heav'n returneth;
Too oft in earth a troubled guest,
At times deceived, at times oppressed,
It here is tried and purified,
And hath in heaven its perfect rest.

THE BEST TRAVELING COMPANION. "That seat is occupied," said a bright-eyed girl at the hotel table to a man who was about to take it. "Occupied!" he growled; "where's his baggage?" With a saucy upward look at him, "I'm his baggage," she said. And this brings me to say if you are going a long journey in regions where it is "first come, first served," the most desirable piece of baggage you can take with you is not a hat-box or a blanket, but a woman. If you have none, then marry one, for you are not thoroughly equipped for the road till you do. When dinner is ready you follow in her blessed wake, and are snugly seated beside her, and exactly opposite the tempting platter of chickens, before the hirsute crowd, womanless as Adam was till he fell into a deep sleep, are let in all. There you are, and there they are. You twain-one, with the two best chairs in the house, served, and smiled on. Look down the table at the unhappy fellows, some of them actually bottoming the chairs they occupy, and the arms and hands reaching in every direction across the table like the tentaculæ of a gigantic polypus. When night comes and with it a border tavern, it is not you that shift uneasily from side to side on the bar-room floor. If there is any best bed she gets it and you share it. You follow her into the best car; she is first in the stage coach and you are too. More than that, a woman keeps you "upon your honor;" you are pretty sure to behave yourself all the way. [Letter from Iowa.

CASTING OUT DEVILS. We have a friend, a Methodist preacher, and a jolly fellow he is. He has a large, muscular frame, with corpulence to correspond; has a huge hand, with a powerful grip—save us from giving him serious offence if he were a common sinner. He is an earnest worker, and has a well earned reputation as a revialist. Some years ago he was holding a meeting, at which quite an interest was awakened. A number of persons had come to the anxious seat, and some had been converted. One evening, a group, consisting of two or three young men and as many young ladies, were present, whose object in coming was to have merriment. The minister having noticed them for a while, and thinking it was time they were checked, found his way to them, and addressed himself to the young men, kindly requested them to observe the decorum befiting the place. One of them, whose ideas of politeness were hardly up to the mark, ventured in rather an ungracious manner to reply that they had "understood that miracles were worked there, and he had come to see some performed." Upon this our robust friend, the minister, coolly took the young man by the coat collar, deliberately led him down the aisle, and opening the door, without ceremony landed him outside, quietly remarking, "We do not work miracles here, *but we cast out devils!*"—*Exchange.*

FAMILY HINTS.—Many of the most brutal murders and greatest crimes perpetrated in the city of New York are committed by persons under twenty-five years of age; this shows a very early corruption of morals, and as an eminent jurist once said, is easily traceable to the habit of being from home after dark. Lord Shaftsbury stated from the bench, that in nearly all the cases of great crimes which came before him, the evidence showed that the moral character became vitiated between the ages of eight and sixteen. These two terrible facts put together should make every city parent, especially, tremble; and if it should lead to the adoption of the following suggestions, it would save many a heart from going down in sorrow to the grave from an embittered old age.

Do not allow your children to form the habit of "going home" to spend the night with their companions—no, not once in a year.

Keep them out of the streets after sundown, unless you are with them.

Do all that is possible to have a loving, cheerful and happy fireside, as a matter of winning them from the street. Much can be done in this direction by providing amusements, and having the children occupied in something which is interesting, profitable, or new.

Keep the birthdays; let them be occasions of harmless festivities; arrange that all the holidays, too, shall be observed appropriately. Little parties given now and then to their own age, is a source of much delight to children, and they may be so conducted as to be of great benefit morally, socially and physically.

Let the father and mother remember the exhibition before their children of a loving, affectionate, and quiet deportment towards one another in the home circle is a powerful bond of union in a family; the very sight of it wakes affectionate sympathies in the hearts of the children, and cherishes the same delightful feeling in themselves; and soon the house becomes a home of love and quiet delight; within half a mile of us there are quite a number of families of this sort, some of them among the wealthiest in the city, but it is singular to observe that in almost every case it is in consequence of the mother's all-pervading influence, mothers who are quiet, gentle, lady-like but firm in the right always. Many homes are made distasteful to children by inconsistent restrictions and criticisms; by innumerable rules and regulations. A household is better regulated by affectionate pliancy than by inflexible rigidity, yielding in non-essentials, but firm as a rock in all questions of right or wrong. The night work from eight to sixteen determines the life character of millions.—*Hall's Journal.*

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RELIANCE.—We deem it to be our duty to say to our readers, that implicit reliance can be placed on Coe's Cough Balsam. It will cure your children of croup, and yourself of any cough, cold, sore throat or pulmonary affection. It is the cheapest and best preparation in the market.

Dyspepsia can be surely and permanently cured by Coe's Dyspepsia Cure. Thousands of dyspeptics are sending in their testimonials to the proprietors, saying it has cured them. We say to those who are suffering from dyspepsia, constipation, sour stomach, or any disorder of the stomach or bowels, give it a trial.

DID YOU EVER SEE.—A regiment that wasn't the best in the service?

A captured battery that hadn't fired its last round of ammunition before it was taken?

A regiment, brigade or division that wasn't the very last to leave the field when a retreat was ordered?

A regiment, brigade, or division, battery or company that didn't lose more in each battle than any other regiment, brigade, or division, battery or company?

A brigade, division or corps that hadn't the best commander in the service?

A division that didn't save the army from annihilation?

A line officer that didn't deserve to be, at least, a Brigadier General?

A regiment that didn't go further on a charge, kill more of the enemy, and capture more flags than any other?

DILEMMA.—Pa, would you, or would you not, get married?

Well, my daughter, either way you will be sorry.

A Western paper tells a story of a distressed agriculturist: "A farmer dropped in here on Wednesday last, to pay his rent putting on a long face to correspond with the times. On entering the house he told the landlord that times being so bad, he could not raise the money at all, and dashed a bundle of green-backs on the table, 'There', said he, 'that is all I can pay. The money was taken up and counted by Mr.——, the landlord, who said,

'Why, this is twice as much as you owe?'

'Dang'ee give it to me again,' said the farmer, 'I am dashed if I an't took it out of the wrong pocket.'"

The great lake tunnel designed for the supply of Chicago with pure water, was completed on Saturday morning. The centre lines from both ends coincided within 9 1-2 inches, while the floors of each tunnel join with a difference of one inch. This triangular computation is claimed to be one of the greatest engineering feats of the present age.

A club of young men on a large scale is about to be established in London, under the auspices of the temperance movement, which is designed to combine the comforts of home with facilities for intellectual improvement, physical and mental exercise, and amusement. The prospectus fixes the capital at £100,000. It is proposed to secure suitable premises to contain lecture-hall, reading, class, dining, and billiard-rooms, together with apartments for about 500 residential members, as also a gymnasium, bath-rooms with every other accommodation which may be thought expedient.

SEAMEN continue scarce for European ports, as they manifest a decided preference at this time of year for South America, China, or other parts of the world where they can enjoy a milder climate. A smaller supply than usual is expected from the lakes, on the close of navigation, on account of the urgent demand for their labor in the lumbering regions.

Since 1852, George Peabody has given away four million dollars. Take out the Sundays and holidays and it averages about a thousand dollars a day for fourteen years. Such an example ought to break the seals upon other fortunes larger and smaller than his.

FENIAN MOVEMENTS.—It is denied, on the very highest Fenian authority, that President Roberts has given arms to Stevens, or in any way connived at his efforts. The Roberts party say that the men in Ireland are destitute of arms, and any attempt at rebellion there, at present, will only result in a butchery of unarmed men. The report that Stevens sent large quantities of arms to Ireland is denied by them, they alleging that he converted everything he could into cash in New York.

THE HOLIDAYS.—The gayest season of the entire year is now approaching, but whilst we are enjoying this festive season let us not forget that in time of health we must always be prepared for disease. Coughs, colds, sore throat, croup, asthma, and whooping Cough are speedily cured by Coe's Cough Balsam. Whilst dyspepsia, constipation, sick headache, sour stomach, indigestion—the most prolific source of ill health, is certainly cured by the timely use of Coe's Dyspepsia Cure.

The French Government is already finding purchasers for its old fashioned arms. It sold to the Government of the first King of Siam 12 mountain mortars, 600 shells, and 1200 fulminating wads.

Each morning at the Paris station of the Western Railway there may be seen great vats full of sea-water brought from Dieppe. This water is used for baths and aquariums, which are rapidly increasing in number in Paris.

THRIVE SLOWLY.—It is dangerous for a man to grow rich and strong faster than he grows good. I do not think it is wise to grow rich too fast, at any rate. I do not mean to say that there may not be men of such stature that they can grow rich rapidly without being hurt by their riches; but generally God makes the road to wealth one of care, so that the process is one of education, and so that, when a man has attained his competence, he has gone through that which is a strengthener, stiffener, and which prevents his being much injured by it. But when men come into the possession of wealth without having earned it, they are apt to pe injured by it, because they have not received that education which is necessary to enable them to administer it properly.—*Beecher.*

BANKING EXPLAINED.—Old Mr. Lefevre's illustration of the theory of banking to a customer, whose account was almost always overdrawn, certainly rivals the best treatise on that subject. Watching the customer, he caught him one day at the counter, and said to him, Mr. Y. you and I must understand one another something better than we now seem to. I am afriad you don't know what banking really is; give me leave to tell you. Its my business to take care of your money; but I find you are always taking care of mine. Now that is not banking Mr. Y.; it must be the other way. I'm the banker, not you. You understand me now, Mr. Y.; I'm sure you do."

The United States is now regarded by foreign nations as the most formidable military power on earth.

The Middlesex Journal,

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SATURDAY, DEC. 15, 1866.

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E. MARCHANT, Proprietor.

CABINET REPORTS.

The people are the sovereigns in America, and to them are made the annual reports of the doings of the year; of the state of the finances, the Post Office, the War and Navy departments, the Secretary of the Interior, to which has been added by the President that of the Executive office, and a presentation of the Foreign and Domestic situation. All these documents, are full, clear, and specific, well written, and easily understood by those who will take the pains to read and think. The President states that he has continued his efforts to perfect, as far as was practicable, the restoration of the proper relations between the citizens of the respective States, the States, and the Federal government, and calls upon Congress to co-operate, by admitting to their seats in that body, loyal Senators and Representatives from the ten States not now represented.

The report of the Secretary of the Treasury will attract general attention. It is a work of great labor, ability, and fullness, showing that we have the right man in the right place. His recommendation and aim to have a return to specie payments, and to prepare the way first by reducing the paper circulation of the country, is sound, but he complains that the limited reduction authorized by Congress of the U. S. notes and of the notes of the State banks, has been nearly balanced by the increase of the circulation of the National banks; and specie commands about the same premium it did when the last Treasury report was prepared. The Secretary very properly exults in the rapid decrease of the national debt during the past year, and though he suggests some modification of taxes, which would make the ratio of decrease less in future years, yet he adheres to the policy of a steady annual reduction of the debt as definitely and inexorably established. Nothing short of this, and economy in the national expenditures to render it practicable, he believes to be the will of the people. More than in hoarding gold, he relies upon quickened industry, increased production and lower prices to make the U. S. what it ought to be—a creditor and not a debtor nation. He ably and successfully defends himself as to his course in holding and selling gold. The Secretary wisely remarks:—"We have traveled so far from the specie standard, and are so blinded in regard to our actual financial condition and our relations with other countries, by an inflated and irredeemable currency, and by the exportation of our securities, that frequent recurrence to inexorable commercial and financial laws is necessary."

We dwell a little longer on this finance report, as the subject ought to be understood even by those who read but little, as being, perhaps, of even more importance than the question of admitting representatives to Congress from the ten excluded States. We are a debtor nation and cannot yet safely go back to gold and silver currency. Although we have exported the past year nearly 1,600,000 bales of cotton, the United States are largely a debtor to Europe. Mr. McCulloch estimates the balance of the past year of exportation and importation against us of $100,000,000. The estimate of American bonds now held in Europe, are:—

United States bonds, - -	350,000,000
State and Municipal bonds, -	150,000,000
Railroad and other stock and bonds,	100,000,000
Total,	$600,000,000

The balances are against us chiefly by the exportation of our Government bonds, temporarily and improvidently arranged, bought on speculation and purchased at low prices. Their exportation stimulates imports and thus cripples industry. The sad consequences of an irredeemable currency, and especially when made by the sovereign power, as with us, a legal tender, becomes prolific of mischief:—"Then specie becomes demonetized, and trade is uncertain in its results, because the basis is fluctuating; then prices advance as the volume of currency increases, and require as they advance further additions to the circulating medium; then speculation becomes rife, and *the few are enriched at the expense of the many;* then industry declines and extravagance is wanton; then, with a diminution of products, and consequently of exports, there is an increase of imports, and higher tariffs are required on account of the general expansion to which they, in their turn, give new stimulus and support, while the protection intended to be given by them to home industry is in a great measure rendered inoperative by the expansion. This, notwithstanding our large resources and the prosperity of many branches of industry, is substantially the condition of the United States, and the important question arises, what are the remedies?"

The Secretary points out the remedies, and, it is to be hoped, that if there are any men in Congress versed in political economy, and able to present their views with clearness and force, that they will lay aside party politics and contention with the President and the South, at least long enough to attend to the evils of a financial character which are upon us, grinding the majority of the people in poverty, suffering and inexcusable wrong.

The reports of the Secretaries of war and of the navy are pleasing, inasmuch as they make us acquainted with the great reductions that have taken place in our expenditures. The report of the Post Master General is gratifying, as showing the increase and value of our extensive postal arrangements. With the report of the Secretary of war are interesting reports from generals Grant, Sherman, Pope, Hallock, McDowell, Steck, Meade, Sheridan, Thomas, Jeff. C. Davis, and Sickles. The Secretary of the Interior has an able report.

WOBURN LOCALS.

Rev. Dr. Lord's Lecture, on Hildebrand, on Monday evening, was well attended, and deeply interesting and instructive. He said the Papal power was, and always had been, the greatest and most powerful, that ever existed—a despotism—and yet loved by its subjects. The Popes had been great men, genuises, heroes, and saints. Hildebrand, he considered the greatest, taking into consideration the times in which he lived; society then was in a low, sensual state. He was a fanatic, a usurper, yet honest in his desire to raise up the spiritual character of the Papal power, to make it more enduring and more powerful. He waged war on two things—against the marriage of Priests, and the selling or giving away the livings of the Papal See. The Priests rebelled at first, but they had to submit. Those who did not obey him were excommunicated, and he sent his anathemas everywhere. Even the Emperor of Germany, who had been in the habit of selling and bestowing upon his favorites, the Bishoprics, was obliged at last to beg for absolution, standing in the middle of winter, with a haircloth shirt on him, and barefooted, three days, outside the castle where Hildebrand lodged, before he would even see him. Hildebrand died an exile, lamenting his want of success. Yet his life had been a success, for what he desired had been secured to the Papal power, and succeeding Popes had reaped the benefit. Dr. Lord will give his next lecture on Monday evening, at the Congregational Vestry. Subject—Gustavus Adolphus; or, The German War.

THE HORSE RAILROAD.—The Selectmen, in conformity with the prayer of the directors of the horse railroad company, will meet at the railroad depot, on Friday, 21st inst., at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties interested in laying out the track for the contemplated new road.

Arrangements are rapidly being perfected for the grand ball to be given by the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, on the 21st inst. Eight pieces of music will be in attendance, from Hall's Band. Everything indicates that this will be one of the very best parties ever held in this vicinity. We learn that the decorations, by Mr. Beals, will be superior to anything ever seen in Woburn. The attendance will doubtless be equal to the capacity of the hall.

THE EIGHT HOUR SYSTEM.—Moseley & Dunn, of Winchester, adopted the eight hour system, in their leather manufactory, on Monday last.

THE GREAT WASHINGTON POLYORAMA OF THE REBELLION, will visit our town on Friday and Saturday evenings, Dec. 14th and 15th.

These paintings embrace all the principal incidents of the great struggle for the Union from the commencement down to the burial of the President; Sherman's Grand March through Georgia, Andersonville Prison Pen, Surrender of Lee, inside view of Ford's Theatre, Assassination of the President, the Funeral Cortege, &c. It has drawn full houses and been highly spoken of wherever it has been exhibited. We clip the following from the *Fitchburg Reville:*—

THE POLYORAMA OF THE WAR, which was on exhibition in this town on Friday and Saturday evenings of last week, drew large crowds of spectators, and well were they repaid for the expenditure of time and money; receiving more information in one brief hour than could be obtained in printed volumes, from the lucid, entertaining and instructive remarks of Mr. Chesley, the able delineator, as the several excellent pictures passed in review. No one can fail to be interested with the Polyorama.

Prof. Crane, one of the best of living Ventriloquists, will accompany the exhibition, and entertain the audience with select scenes in that *art*. Tickets 25 cents. No half price, but children will be admitted in the afternoon for ten cents.

William Winn, Esq., will sell at auction, on Monday next, the wood standing on six acres of land, on Rag Rock.

There are especial seasons in life when the kind remembrance of friends is made manifest by a social gathering on the occasion of some pleasant anniversary of a notable event in one's personal history. These manifestations of *non*-forgetfulness are becoming more frequent than in former years, and the circle is extended beyond relatives to intimate acquaintances, and often unexpected. In such a manner, sixty or more of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Putnam, surprised them on Friday evening last, at their residence on Railroad street, it being the fifteenth anniversary of their marriage, and a few joyful hours were happily passed in the usual social and congratulatory manner customary on such anniversaries. The *crystalized* tokens of thoughtfulness were numerous, and at a late hour the guests reluctantly withdrew, leaving their heartfelt wishes for the future prosperity and happiness of the respected couple.

GENEROUS.—We learn that John Cummings, Jr. Esq., gave to each of the scholars connected with the High School, a ticket to the course of Lectures now being delivered by Rev. Dr. Lord. A like favor was extended to the teachers of the school.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The High School, the Central Grammar, and the North Woburn Grammar, commenced their winter term on Monday last. All the other public schools in town, will commence on Monday next.

Matthew Foley's boot and shoe manufactory in Stoneham was destroyed by fire, with all its contents, early on Saturday morning. The building was worth about $3000, and was insured for $1500. The stock belonged to Frederick Holton & Co., No. 9 Pearl street, Boston, and was valued at about $20,000. It is thought that Messrs. Holton & Co.'s loss is covered entirely by insurance. A dwelling house next to the manufactory was damaged to the extent of $1000. It is stated that the fire had gained great headway before it was discovered.

FESTIVAL.—The First Congregational Church and Society of Woburn, in connection with the Church and Society in North Woburn, propose to hold a Festival in the Orthodox Church, Woburn Centre, on the evening of the 20th inst. A Committee has been chosen to make all necessary arrangements. There will be a splendid supper, good speaking, social converse, and a general season of good cheer. Everybody should attend. Price of admission, 25 cents.

A splendid entertainment is to be afforded our citizens the latter part of Christmas week, in the form of a Grand Popular Concert, in Lyceum Hall. Mr. H. C. Barnabee, the great humorist, and first dramatic singer of the age, will appear; also Mr. Henry Carter, with his talented Boy Soloists, who were so enthusiastically received at the recent concert, and Mr. Wm. H. Clarke, with other attractions. Mr. Barnabee alone is sure to draw a full house, and the boys will sing the most pleasing atyle of secular music. We fear that our Hall will hardly hold the large audience which will be drawn together on the occasion,—but we understand there is a possibility of obtaining reserved seats in advance.

ARREST.—Mary Callahan, of this place, was arrested on Thursday last, for keeping a liquor nuisance. She was taken before Trial Justice Converse, and bound over to a higher court. A. F. L. Norris appeared in her behalf.

THE POLYORAMA OF THE WAR.—That our readers may be fully impressed with the fact that this exhibition is one of the best ever presented to the public, we copy the following notice of it from the Salem Observer, a paper of great weight of character and influence:—

Mechanics Hall has seldom been visited by so large audiences, as have assembled there on the last two evenings to witness the exhibition of "THE GREAT WASHINGTON POLYORAMA OF THE WAR." We can say that we have seldom seen any audience so completely entranced, for two hours, as have been the crowds who have been present at these exhibitions. It is what it claims to be, a true pictorial history of the rebellion; and we only repeat the language of another, when we say, "a better idea of the rebellion can be here gained, than from all the histories which have ever been published." Those who miss seeing this, will miss seeing one of the best exhibitions ever given in Salem.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Enoch Breed, of this place, was attacked with paralysis on Monday evening last, at 5 o'clock, and died on Thursday morning. He was a highly respectable citizen, aged 72 years.

Rev. Wm. C. Reed, of Andover, will preach in the First Congregational Church to-morrow.

MORTON'S GOLD PENS.—These pens are acquiring a very enviable reputation, and are fast superseding most others in use. They are made of excellent material, are well finished, wear longer, and perform their work better, than any other with which we are acquainted. They can be had at the Woburn Bookstore, at prices which all can afford to pay.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—E. J. Jenks, Esq., Cashier of the First Narional Bank of Woburn, has purchased the large two story dwelling house, on Academy Hill, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson. We learn that it is Mr. Jenks' intention to occupy it himself.

CORRECTION.—We are requested to state, that the ladies of North Woburn furnished the supper tables, and Mr. Still the ice cream, at the late Fair and Festival in North Woburn, given by the Young Men's Literary Christian Association.

J. M. Grosvenor & Co., have a fine assortment of goods suitable for the holidays, as our advertising columns abundantly testify. This house is winning an enviable reputation. They secure the best articles in every department of their business, and sell at prices far below their predecessor in the business.

Mr. C. S. Adkins, at his store, next door to the Post Office, is now opening a large and desirable assortment of new goods, adapted to the holidays. His assortment of stationery, games, toys, confectionery, &c., is fresh and inviting. Give him a call.

A PRAISEWORTHY ACT.—The workmen in S. Simonds & Son's factory, recently gave one of their fellow workmen, who was unfortunately injured in the hand by some machinery, the sum of $14.50. This furnashed him with a nice thanksgiving dinner.

Dr. Lord's Lectures.

MR. EDITOR:—The Vestry of the Congregational Church was not so well filled as it should have been on Monday evening last, to hear the first of a course of lectures by Dr. Lord.

It would seem as though from the dearth of lectures in this town for the last three years, the announcement of a series by so eminent a writer and scholar as Dr. Lord would have filled any of our public halls with an audience thirsty for this form of instruction. Why it was not so, perhaps it is not worth while now to enquire, but it does not seem possible that it could be from want of interest in the great subjects he so ably presents. It would be much more creditable to ascribe it to imperfect knowledge with regard to the course, or presumably from a fixed habit of staying at home because of the long absence of meritorious lectures.

The lecture read on Monday evening, placed before the audience the great historic character of the eleventh century, Hildebrand, known officially as Gregory 7th. The opening paragraphs of the lecture gave a brief and comprehensive survey of the Roman hierarchy as a power in the earth, and as a work of singular strength and consummate art. It then reviewed the state of Europe at the time Hildebrand appeared as a master spirit in the movements of that turbulent age. The description of the papal power in its complex character, its beneficence and its tyranny, its superstition and its piety, its intolerance and its humility, its strength and weakness, was both eloquent and thorough.

The reforms contemplated by the exalted work were then touched upon. His zeal for the church and his towering ambition to make it at once the great spiritual and temporal authority of the nations, brought him in contact with the sovereigns of Europe, particularly with Henry 4th of Germany, the most powerful monarch of his time.

The contest thus invited by the boldness and audacity of the Pontiff, was sketched in a graphic and spirited manner. The stern and uncompromising will, and the genius and spiritual resources of Hildebrand, at length conquered the rebellious monarch, and his triumph was complete. Yet the humiliated rulers recovered their independence to some extent and drove the haughty Pontiff into exile and to a bitter death. Nevertheless the great work of his ambition was accomplished, and the tiara which had hitherto been subservient to the temporal sovereignties of Europe, was exalted to the highest place among the insignia of power and authority. The lecture closed with a recital of the great changes that were produced on society and civilization in the middle ages by the impress made upon them by the vigorous and sagacious Hildebrand.

In this, as in his other lectures, Dr. Lord should be especially commended for one thing. He has so far conquered his prejudices, as to be able to treat these vexed religious subjects with more than ordinary breadth and fairness. He has evidently studied his themes in the broad light of history and experience, rather than under the bushel of a sect, and he seems more desirous of furnishing his hearers with truth fortified by facts and reason, than to darken their minds and deepen their prejudices, by passionate appeals and distorted statements. His power of analysis is vigorous and discriminating, and his clear judgment in commenting on great epochs in the life of men and nations, shows that he possesses much of the character of the philosophic historian.

With the advent of next Monday evening a large audience should be assembled to listen to the lecturer's account of the life and times of Gustavus Adolphus, the great Swedish warrior and statesman, who took such a prominent part in the thirty years war, that followed the Lutheran Reformation. G.

READING.

The religious interest still continues, and meetings are held nearly every evening in the week, and are largely attended. Mr. H. F. Durant has addressed the people here several times, alternately in the Old South and Bethesda churches.

Mr. Durant is the most earnest and impressive speaker I ever listened to, and he has evidently made a strong, and it is hoped, a lasting impression in this community. His long and eminently successful practice as a lawyer has secured to him such habit of thought, that he can make his points clear and convincing, as few men with ordinary training can.

The Bethesda Church and Society resumed worship in their house on the last Sabbath in November. The exterior and interior of the house looks finely. About six thousand dollars have been expended in the enlargement and refinishing. Gas fixtures are now being put in, including a chandelier. LENO.

A MODEL PAPER.—The *Watchman & Reflector*, of Boston, has an enviable reputation for ability and enterprise. It has not been surpassed in merit by any religious journal in the country. But it aspires to higher excellence, and proposes to become, with the opening of the New Year, one of the most comprehensive family papers in the world. It will be greatly enlarged, and published on a double sheet: one sheet devoted, as hitherto, to religious matter; the other to literary, social, monentary and agricultural articles. This latter department will be new and peculiar, with a rich variety of contents, embracing articles on current moral, social and political questions; on the leading men of the age in thought and action; reviews of important books; tales for the family circle; agricultural and gardening matters for farmers; and monetary articles and reports of the markets for business men.

No Journal in the world certainly has a more comprehensive plan to meet the wants of all families, and of all the members in a family; and as the editorial staff will consist of nine men, all able and experienced in the several departments, who will be assisted by thirty contributors, many of them having a national reputation, the Watchman & Reflector must become a model family paper, unequalled in merit and in circulation. Its enterprising conductors deserve the largest success. We refer our readers to Advertisement in another column.

More than twenty-five ships are now on the way to Boston from various parts of the East Indies; also six barks from Russia, and more than twenty ships from Great Britain alone.

There are five survivors of the Dartmoor prisoners still living at Nantucket, natives of the island.

Cincinnati is to have a new reservoir, covering fourteen acres, holding 100,000,000 gallons of water, and costing $1,500,000. Work on it has been begun.

WINCHESTER.

Dedication of the New High School House.—The very meagre sketch of this affair given in last week's paper, constrains me to re-state some facts in connection therewith, which were crowded out in printing my previous communication.

The architects of this building were Messrs. Ware and Van Brunt of Boston. The ground was broken for the erection, March 15th, last. The stone work was done by Nicholas Fitzgerald, the masonry by Hosea Dunbar; the building, above the underpinning, by Messrs. Caleb & Geo. Barker of Boston, under contract, in the most faithful and satisfactory manner; the desks and chairs by Joseph L. Ross; the furnaces by Geo. W. Walker of Boston.

At the dedication, after Mr. Ayer had completed his sketch of the building, from its inception to its completion, he delivered the keys to Mr. D. N. Skillings, the Chairman of the Building Committee, who presented them to Hon. O. R. Clark, the Chairman of the Selectmen, who in turn passed them over to Dr. Fred. Winsor, Chairman of the School Committee, by whom they were transferred to Dr. Chapin, of the Prudential Committee, and which keys at last found a resting place in the hands of Wilson Palmer, the Principal of the school. All these gentlemen made brief remarks. Speeches were also made by Wm. Everett, Thos. Emerson, a former Principal of the school, and Rev. Mr. Robinson. The dedicatory prayer was by Rev. Mr. Robinson. The exercises were interspersed with singing and were very interesting. It was pleasant to see the familiar face of the assistant Principal, who has been through a severe illness of late, which has prevented her doing any service. We learn that she will resume her duties in part, this term. We hope that her health and strength may be fully restored, and that in the future as in the past, the pupils of this school may have the benefit of her wise counsels and her superior teachings. It is a cause for sincere congratulation, that this building, so much needed and so long looked for, has at last reached its consummation. It will not only be an ornament to the town, but will be a striking evidence of the interest whice is here felt in education in the erection of such a beautiful edifice, and supporting a High School therein, when they are not required by law to do it, as they have done for the past sixteen years in the old building.

Dedication of the New Grammar School House.—This took place on Tuesday afternoon of last week in the presence of a large audience. A. K. P. Joy, Esq., the Chairman of the Building Committee, made the opening address, in which he referred to the frequent recommendations of the School Committees in their reports for large and better houses for the schools. This necessity having become apparent, the town voted, December 9th, 1865, to erect a first class Grammar School House. The architect of the building was Luther Briggs, Jr., of Boston, who has given another proof of his good taste and judgment in buildings of this kind.

The cellar and foundations were constructed by Andrew Todd, of this town, under contract, for $1400.

The main building is 60 x 40 feet, built of wood, slated, with copper gutters, heated by furnaces and provided with ample ventilating apparatus of approved construction, and contains a large school room, with desks and chairs, furnished by J. L. Ross, and of the newest pattern. A recitation room and another spacious room, intended for an intermediate school, with suitable halls, clothes rooms, and all other modern improvements. The building was constructed by Messrs. Caleb and Geo. Barker, of Boston, under contract, for $10,000.

The house itself is the best evidence of their skill and the ability and fidelity with which they have discharged their duties.

The cost of this building complete, and land, is about $16,000. After the introductory remarks accompanying this sketch, the keys were transferred to the officials, and the other exercises were similar in form to those at the High School, with some variation in the list of speakers.

A heavy shower which came up before the conclusion of the exercises, sadly interfered with the homeward bound passage of the audience.

Religious.—At the meeting of the Unitarian Society last Sunday, Messrs. C. J. Bishop, C. P. Curtis, S. W. Twombly, Mrs. Winsor Adams, and Miss Mary Symmes, were chosen delegates to the Local Conference of Unitarian and other Christian Churches, at Cambridgeport, on Wednesday of this week.

Lectures.—The course of Historical Lectures, by Rev. John Lord, was commenced in Lyceum Hall, on Tuesday evening of last week. The subject of the lecture on that evening was Hildebrand. The subjects since have been, "The Crusades," "Gustavus Adolphus," "Michael Angelo," and are given on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

The attendance upon the first lecture was rather small, but at each succeeding one it has increased, as the interesting character of the lectures and their value became more generally known.

Last Monday afternoon, B. G. Northrop, Esq., Agent for the Board of Education, met the teachers of our public schools in the High School House, and addressed them, and in the evening addressed a promiscuous audience in Lyceum Hall, upon the subject of Education.

Accident.—Last Sunday noon, as a gentleman and lady were riding in a chaise, on a visit to some friends in this town, and were turning the corner of Grove and Bacon streets, the vehicle struck upon the embankment upon the side of the street and upset, throwing out its occupants. Fortunately the parties escaped with only slight bruises. The vehicle was considerably injured.

School Committee.—In convention of the Selectmen and School Committee, Benj. F. Ham, Esq., was chosen to fill the vacancy upon the Committee, caused by the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hinkley. This is an admirable selection.

Parochial.—At the Annual meeting of the Unitarian Society on Wednesday evening, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year, viz: Clerk—Chas. P. Curtis. Treasurer—Edward Shattuck. Standing Committee—Chas. J. Bishop, E. A. Wadleigh, Fred Winsor, Thos. P. Ayer, F. O. Prince, in connection with the Clerk and Treasurer. An amendment was made to the By-Laws, by which the annual meeting will hereafter occur on the first Tuesday of November. EXCELSIOR.

EARLY CLOSING OF STORES.

We are glad to learn that our merchants, with scarcely an exception, have agreed to close their places of business, on and after Jan. 1st, 1867, as follows: On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings, at 8 o'clock; on Wednesday evening, at 6 o'clock, P. M. This arrangement is a beneficial one to all concerned, especially to our merchants, and their clerks, who, as a general thing are confined to their business, more hours than any other class in community.

THE COMING OF WINTER.

He comes! the Winter comes!
I hear his footsteps through the night!
I hear his vanguard on the heights
March thro' the pines with muffled drum!

His naked feet are on the mead;
The grass blades stiffen in his path,
No tear for child of earth he hath!
No pity for the tender seed!

The bare oaks shudder at his breath!
A moment by the stream he stays—
Its melody is mute! A glaze
Creeps o'er its dimples, as of death!

From fettered stream and blackened moor
The city walls he silent rears;
The manseins of the rich he fears!
He storms the cabins of the poor!

The curtained couch, the glowing hearth,
The frost rhymed greybeard's power defy!
He curses as he hurries by
And strikes the begger dead, to earth!

For every gleaming hall he spares,
A hundred heartless hovels hold
Hearts pulseless, crisp with ice and cold,
Watched by a hundred grim despairs!

Here is your mission! ye who feed
Your lavish hoes! Not afar
But at your doors your heathen are!
God's poor—your creditors! Take heed!

The path is long to Pagan shores!
Their skies are sunny—God o'er all!
The Winter's deadly harvest falls
Around you! Deal your master's stores!

Hair-dressing in Paris is the subject treated by a correspondent in that elegant city. The writer says:

The "Society of Hairdressers" has held its first ball of the present season, said to have been a success. The rage for false hair shows no signs of abatement, and so laden nowadays are the heads of the least ugly sex with false tresses, that there is really no room for anything beyond the atoms to which the so-called bonnet has now declined. The front hair drawn back and lifted up from the forehead in puffs and rolls, the backhair spread out into an enormous lump, tied in spreading bows, or rolled into an intricate mass of short, thick, geometrically disposed sausages, how can a woman contrive to place on her head anything bigger than the few inches of tulle, blonde or velvet with which she covers the infinitesimal hollow left at the summit of the head, between the hilly protuberances of the front, and the mountainous ones of the back?

New Zealand has 1,000 miles of telegraph lines in operation.

SINGULAR DEATH OF A CHILD.—A son of Hugh Hagan, aged six years, came to his death in the following manner: On Wednesday evening the little fellow was playing among some empty potato barrels on the Steamboat Square with three or four children. He got into one of the barrels feet foremost and his innocent companions playfully raised the barrel up on its end—thus placing young Hagan upon his head. In this position he was left until the blood rushed into his head, and when found by his parents his face was fairly black from this cause. Soon after being carried into the house he was seized with spasms, from which he never recovered, and died about six o'clock in the evening.—*Albany Argus.*

RIFLES FOR FENIANS.—*Montreal, C. E., 7th.* The Montreal Transcript says: "We learn from an authentic source that a highly respectable house in trade has, within a few days, sold from 15,000 to 17,000 rifles on Fenian account, the destination of which is not known. We cannot announce that they were intended for this country, but the fact is of sufficient interest to publish."

A clergyman writing to a friend, says, "My voyage to Europe is indefinitely postponed. I have discovered the "fountain of health" on this side of the Atlantic. Three bottles of the Peruvian Syrup have rescued me from the fangs of the fiend Dyspepsia." Dyspeptics should drink from this fountain.

Died

In Woburn, Dec. 10, Patrick Martin, aged 48 years.
In Woburn, Dec. 11, Mrs Mary Jerloux, aged 44 years, 6 months.
In Winchester, Dec. 7, Mary Reed, aged 91 years, 6 months.

A

RETAIL

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

We have MARKED DOWN our stock of

WINTER OVERCOATS.

Macullar,

Williams & Parker

194 Washington st.

BOSTON, Dec. 8, 1866.

FAIR AND FESTIVAL.

AT THE

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, WOBURN,

Thursday Evening, Dec. 20th, 1866.

This is a union festival of the Woburn and Winchester Congregational churches, for the purpose of aiding the church at North Woburn, and no pains will be spared by the committee of arrangements to make it the most social, pleasant and profitable gathering that has taken place for years. An "Old Folks Concert," under the direction of Mr. Wm. H. Clarke, will constitute a marked feature of the evening. For further particulars, see posters.

Per Order Committee.

NEW GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAYS. Artemas Wood, No. 11 Wade's Block, has now on hand one of the largest and best assortments of Holiday and Fancy Goods, ever offered to the people of Woburn. Among his stock may be found:—Ladies' papier-mache writing desks and work boxes, Tivoli boards, dressing cases, fancy boxes, ladies' leather bags, work baskets, glove and handkerchief boxes. Also, a good variety of dolls, consisting of rubber, china, dress, crying &c; doll heads, and doll bodies; toys; vases; smoking sets; cigar stands; watch stands; watch boxes; parian pitchers; cups and saucers, card baskets, &c., &c. All these goods will be sold at prices to suit the times.

GROSVENOR & CO.,

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LARGE SUPPLY OF

FANCY ARTICLES,

FOR THE

HOLIDAYS.

No. 1.

Dr. Schenck on Dyspepsia.

SYMPTOMS, CAUSES, AND REMEDY.

Symptoms of Dyspepsia.—A sense of fullness, tightness, and weight in the stomach, together with flatulency, acidity, sour, offensive belching of wind, waterbrash, and vomiting, and a great deal of what a person calls an all-gone feeling at the pit of the stomach; frequently there is also a palpitation of the heart, which physicians mistake for heart disease, and when the stomach is in this condition it is coated with a mucus or slime. The rough fibrous portions of the stomach, similar to what we see in tripe, is what throws out the gastric juice, and when the stomach gets a thick coat of slime on it, it prevents the gastric juice from flowing, and digestion ceases. Schenck's Seaweed Tonic dissolves this mucus or slime, and restores the stomach to its natural condition.

Schenck's Mandrake Pills are also required to carry off this morbid matter. Two-thirds of the cases of Consumption are caused from this diseased state of the stomach; the liver becoming torpid, it ceases to throw out bile, and in a short time the whole system is deranged. The mucous membrane of the bronchial tubes sympathizes with the other organs, and before the patient is aware of it, he or she has Bronchial or Pulmonary Consumption.

Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup cannot act freely through the blood when the system is in this locked-up condition, without the aid of the Seaweed Tonic and Mandrake Pills. The Liver has all the venous blood to strain, and when it gets in a morbid condition, blood and bile run through the system mixed, and the whole body becomes so low and the blood so thick, it can hardly run through the veins. In a majority of cases hemorrhages occur from this thick condition of the blood. The Mandrake Pills act on the Liver similar to calomel, or they do what that does—it unlocks the gall bladders, starts the bile, and the blood begins to circulate naturally through the veins, and the hemorrhages cease. If, when persons are attacked with hemorrhage, they would first take a good purgative, something that would act on the liver, they would soon be relieved from bleeding from the lungs, and it is the only way, for astringents are only temporary, and irritate the bronchial tubes, and lay the groundwork for consumption.

DR. SCHENCK will be professionally at his rooms every week, 32 Bond Street, New York, and 35 Hanover Street, Boston, from 9 A. M. Until 3 P.M. He gives advice free, but for a thorough examination with the Respirometer the charge is $5.

His medicines are for sale by all druggists and dealers. Also a full supply at all times at his rooms.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 the half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents per box.

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UNSOLICITED TESTIMONY.

From ANDREW ARCHER, Esq. of Fairfield, Me.

"About 8 years since, my son, Henry A. Archer, now Postmaster at Fairfield, Somerset County, Me., was attacked with spitting of blood, cough, weakness of Lungs, and general debility, so much so that our family physician declared him to have a "SEATED CONSUMPTION." He was under medical treatment for a number of months, but received no benefit from it. At length, from the solicitation of himself and others, I was induced to purchase *one bottle* of WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, which benefited him so much I obtained another bottle, which in a short time restored him to his usual state of health. I think I can safely recommend this remedy to others in like condition, for it is, I think, all it purports to be—THE GREAT LUNG REMEDY FOR THE TIMES!

The above statement, gentlemen, is my *voluntary* offering to you in favor of your Balsam, and it is at your disposal."

Prepared by SETH W. FOWLE & SON, 18 Tremont St., Boston, and for sale by Druggists generally.

Scrofula.

The REV. GEO. STORRS of Brooklyn, N. Y., says, in the Bible Examiner, by way of apology for publishing a medical certificate in his Magazine, of the cure of his only son, of Scrofula, "after dissolution appeared inevitable." "We publish this statement, not for pay, but in gratitude to God who has thus answered prayer, and in justice to Dr. Anders; being satisfied that there is virtue in the Iodine Water treatment, which the readers of this Magazine will thank its Editor for bringing to their notice."

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The official report shows that in the year 1864-'5, $30,500,000 were expended for the suppression of Indian hostilities.

When completed, the military fortifications in progress at Fort Clarence, Halifax, will be among the most effective in America.

Speaking of halibut, a chap from the country lately visiting Delmonico's, came to that word among the list of fish on the bill of fare, and, never having seen or tasted any, thought he would try some. "Have you any halibut?"

Waiter—"Yes, sir."

"Bring me a couple."

"How does that look?" said Mr. Cramp, holding out his brawny hand. "That," said Amos, "looks as though you were out of soap."

The making of window and bottle glass at Pittsburg gives employment to 1,800 men and boys, whose annual wages amount to $1,396,516. The amount of silicia consumed is 242,000 tons, and it is chiefly brought from Missouri. The annual value of the manufactured glass is estimated at $2,160,000.

A letter from Berlin says Russia is at present by no means in a position to entertain aggressive designs, for the emancipation of the peasantry has not led to the results that were expected from the measure. The peasants have shown so little inclination for industry that whole tracts of land have been left entirely uncultivated, and the peasantry are now unable to fulfill their engagements to those who have assigned to them those lands for cultivation. The latter are now, on their own part, unable to pay their taxes to the government.

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ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.00 pm.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12.00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8? am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 pm.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p. m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8?, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p .m.
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E. Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
4West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.

A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.

The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a.m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7.22, 8.30, a.m, 12.06, 5.19 p.m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30†* p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 2.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place, 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.45, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05, 7.40, 9.00, 10-24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.

*Or on arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2 15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 6.45, 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30,* 11p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston, at 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8.15† p m.

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and Saturdays, at 10.00, p. m.
†Wednesdays at 10.15 p. m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave Boston (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham,‡ at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5-15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham¶ for Boston, at 5 52, and 7-32, 8.52, 10.15, A.M., 1.00, 4-52, and 6.30, P M.

‡ A train will leave Boston for Stoneham, on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p.m.

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The petition of the undersigned respectfully represents, that they have obtained a charter to build and construct a street Railroad from Woburn Centre, beginning at or near the Railroad Depot, on and over Main and Elm streets, to a point in North Woburn, under the general laws of this Commonwealth in regard to Street Railroads:

That they have formed a company, and accepted the Charter, and organized by the choice of officers, and in all things complied with the requirements of the statute, aforesaid.

We therefore, *pray you to locate* said street Railroad, on and over *Main* and *Elm streets*, in conformity with the Charter, and the laws of the Commonwealth in such case made and provided, and as in duty bound will ever pray.

ABNER P. WYMAN,
CHARLES BOND,
JOHN R. KIMBALL,
JONATHAN THOMPSON,
DAVID D. HART,
E. E. THOMPSON,
ALBERT THOMPSON, Sec. } Directors.

North Woburn, Dec. 4th, 1866.

SELECTMEN'S OFFICE,
Woburn, Dec. 6, 1866.



At a meeting of the Board of Selectmen of the Town of Woburn, held this Thursday, Dec. 6th, 1866, it was ordered that the Clerk of the Board of Selectmen, give public notice to all parties interested in the above petition, that said Selectmen will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises, and hearing the parties, at the Depot in Woburn Centre, on FRIDAY, the 21st day of December, A. D., 1866, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

A true copy.

E. E. THOMPSON,
Clerk Board of Selectmen.

dec 8—2t

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F. A. FLINT.

Woburn, October 1st, 1866. nov 24—tf

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The above we offer in any quantity, at the VERY LOWEST PRICES, warranting all.

By giving our whole attention to this branch of business, we hope to continue to receive the patronage of the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity.

C. T. HENCHMAN & CO.

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BANK NOTICE.

The stockholders of the first National Bank of Woburn, are hereby notified, that their Annual Meeting will be held at their banking rooms, in Woburn, on TUESDAY, January 8th, 1867, at 7 1-2 o'clock, P. M., for the choice of Directors for the ensuing year; also for the transaction of any other business which may legally come before them.

Per order.

E. J. JENKS, Cashier.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866.

The National Bank of South Reading.

THE stockholders of the National Bank of South Reading, are hereby notified that their Annual Meeting for the choice of Directors, and the transaction of any other business that may be legally brought before them, will be held at their banking house, in South Reading, on TUESDAY, the eighth day of January next, at half past two (2½) o'clock, P. M.

By order.

LILLEY EATON, Cashier.

South Reading, Dec. 7, 1866. 5t

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Jan27—1y Brooklyn, Kings Co., N. Y.

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TOBIAS' DERBY CONDITION POWDERS ARE warranted superior to any others, or no pay, for the cure of Distemper, Worms, Bots, Coughs, Hidebound, Colds, &c., in Horses; and Colds, Coughs, Loss of Milk, Black Tongue, Horn Distemper, &c., in Cattle. These Powders were formerly put up by Simpson I. Tobias, son of Dr. Tobias, and, since his death, the demand has been so great for them, that Dr. Tobias has continued to manufacture them. They are perfectly safe and innocent; no need of stopping the working of your animals. They increase the appetite, give a fine coat, cleanse the stomach and urinary organs; also increase the milk of cows. Try them, and you will never be without them. Hiram Woodruff, the celebrated trainer of trotting horses, has used them for years, and recommends them to his friends. Col. Philo. P. Bush, of the Jerome Race Course, Fordham, N. Y., would not use them until he was told of what they are composed, since which he is never without them. He has over 20 running horses in his charge, and for the last three years has used no other medicine for them. He has kindly permitted me to refer any one to him. Over 1,000 other references can be seen at the depot. Sold by Druggists and Saddlers. Price 25 cents per box. Depot, 56 Cortlandt Street, New York. nov 17—7w

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AND

GENTLEMEN,

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WOUBRN BOOKSTORE.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF

Real Estate.

IN pursuance of the power of sale contained in the deed of mortgage dated September 22d, A. D., 1865, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 955, pages 241-247, made and executed to me, William M. Bailey, Trustee, by the Rubber Sole Shoe Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of Massachusetts, and having its place of business at Stoneham, in said County of Middlesex, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, I, the said William M. Bailey, Trustee, will sell by public auction, on the lot or parcel of land first hereinafter described, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of December, A. D., 1866, at 12 o'clock, noon:

All and singular, the several lots or parcels of land hereinafter described, and the fixtures connected therewith, the same being all the Real Estate described in said deed of Mortgage. All of said parcles of land are situated in said Stoneham, and are severally bounded and described as follows, namely:

First. A parcel of land with the factory, dwelling house and other buildings thereon, bounded, northeasterly on the old road leading from Stoneham to Malden, easterly on Washington street, so called, southerly on land now or late of Joseph Lynde, westerly on land now or late of Joseph Hurd, and northwesterly again on the same land to the point of beginning, containing, by estimation, eight acres and three quarters, more or less.

Secondly. A parcel of land with the buildings thereon, bounded, beginning at the easterly side of said Washington street, at the northwesterly corner of land now or late of said Lynde, thence northerly by said Washington street forty six feet more or less, to the southerly line of Wyoming street, thence turning and running easterly by said Wyoming street two hundred two feet, more or less to a stake, then turning and running south thirty-two degrees west (S. 32° W.) by land now or late of Michael Killian, fifty eight feet nine inches to a stake, then turning and running westerly by land now or late of said Lynde, two hundred eight feet to the point of beginning, containing ten thousand, six hundred seventy six square feet, more or less.

Thirdly. A parcel of land bounded, beginning at the west corner thereof, at the corner of poles, thence northeasterly, northerly and northerly, on land now or late of said Hurd to the bound first mentioned. The said parcel of land is situated near the factory formerly of said Hurd and contains two acres, twenty poles, more or less.

The above described parcels of land are the same which were conveyed to the said Rubber Sole Shoe Company, by the N. Hayward Company, by deed dated September 14th, 1863, recorded in Middlesex Registry of Deeds, South District, Book 914, fol. 170-172.

Fourthly. A parcel of land near the Forest Mills, so called, bounded, beginning at the southeasterly corner thereof on Wyoming Avenue, so called, at the corner of land now or formerly of Nathaniel Hayward, thence southwesterly on land now or formerly of said Hayward, seven hundred sixty feet to the corner of a wall and land now or formerly of William Foster, thence northerly on said land of said Foster by the wall one hundred seventy-five feet, to land now or formerly of said Hayward, thence northerly on said land of said Hayward four hundred fifty-six feet nine inches to the corner of a wall, thence easterly on land of said Hayward one hundred thirty-six and six-tenths feet to the Old Road, thence easterly on the Old Road one hundred twenty and one-tenth feet to land of Grundy & Brother, thence southerly on land of said Grundy ninety-nine feet to a stake and stones, thence southeasterly on land of said Grundy thirty-nine feet to a stake and stones, thence northeasterly on said land of said Grundy one hundred thirty-four feet to a stake and stones, thence northerly on said land of said Grundy thirty-six and six-tenths feet to the Old Road, thence on the southerly side of said Old Road three hundred twenty-eight feet to the point of beginning, containing three acres one quarter two rods, and being the same premises commonly known as the Hurd Mill Lot.

Fifthly. A parcle of land lying north of the last described lot, bounded, beginning on the easterly side of Wyoming Avenue, at a point north of the point of beginning of the said last described lot, thence running from the wall northwesterly on said Avenue, seven hundred eighty-seven and three-fourths feet to land of heirs of Thomas Gould and corner of a wall, thence easterly on said land of said heirs seven hundred five and one half feet to the corner of a wall, thence southerly two hundred twenty-two feet to the point of beginning on said Wyoming Avenue, containing two acres three hundred twelve feet, being the lot commonly known as the New Road Lot.

Sixthly. Another parcel of land lying between Wyoming Avenue and the Old Road, bounded, Beginning at the Easterly corner and running Westerly on the Northerly side of the Old Road two hundred forty seven feet to land of Grundy & Brother and a stake and stones, thence Northerly forty seven feet on land of said Grundy by a wall, thence Westerly on land of said Grundy ninety nine and three tenths feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southerly thirty three and one-half feet on said land of Grundy to the Old Road, thence Westerly on said Old Road, three hundred forty six feet to said Wyoming Avenue, thence Easterly on the South side of said Wyoming Avenue five hundred ninety eight and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing three fourths of an acre and thirty one rods, being the Lot commonly known as the Old Road Lot.

Seventhly. Another parcel of land west of the parcel last described, and lying on the Southwesterly side of said Old Road and Wyoming Avenue, bounded, Beginning at the Easterly corner thereof and running on the Southerly side of said Old Road and Wyoming Avenue four hundred twenty five feet six inches to the corner of a wall and land now or late of William Foster, thence Southwesterly by a wall and land now or late of said Foster one hundred thirty one and four tenths feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southerly by a wall and land of said Foster one hundred ninety four feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southeasterly by a wall and land of said Foster fifty six and one half feet to land now or formerly of Nathaniel Hayward, thence Easterly on land of said Hayward three hundred forty eight and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing one and one half acres and thirty nine rods and being the Lot commonly known as the 'Northwest Lot.'

Eighthly. A parcel of Meadow land, lying south of the Rubber Factory, bounded, beginning at the northeasterly corner at the corner of land of John Buckman and Spot Pond Brook, thence running southerly on the land of said Buckman two hundred fifty-three feet more or less to a stake and stones, thence southwesterly fifty feet on land of Jena. Lynde to a stake and stones, thence westerly on land of said Lynde eighty-nine and one half feet to a stake and stones, thence northerly seventy-four feet on land of said Lynde to Spot Pond Brook, thence on Spot Pond Brook, following the course of the stream three hundred thirty-six and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing three quarters of an acre and three quarters of a rod, and being the Lot commonly known as the Meadow Lot.

Ninthly. Also all of the following rights reserved in the deed of Joseph Hurd to William Foster, dated May 1st, 1866, and recorded in Middlesex Registry Book 883, fol. 42—namely, the Mill Right then possessed and enjoyed by the said Joseph Hurd—and the right and privilege of building a new dam about six rods west of the present dam with all the lawful rights appertaining thereto and provided for such purposes, but to encroach no further on the banks of the brook than is necessary for abutments of such new dam, with such right of flowage as said Joseph Hurd possessed at the date of the said deed to the said Foster.

The parcles of land fourthly, fifthly, sixthly, seventhly and eighthly described, and the said reserved rights, were conveyed to the said Rubber Sole Shoe Company by the N. Hayward Company, by its other deed dated September 14, 1863, recorded in the Registry aforesaid, book 914, fol. 172, &c.

All the said parcles of land are conveyed with all the rights, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or usually enjoyed therewith.

Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale.

WILLIAM M. BAILEY,
Trustee, Mortgagee.

JOHN H. CLARK, Auctioneer.

dec 8—3t

Sheriff's Sale.

MIDDLESEX, ss.

BY virtue of an execution, which issued on a judgment before Parker L. Converse, Esq., one of the Justices of the Peace within and for said county, on the thirteenth day of October, A. D., 1866, in favor of James P. Tyler, of Woburn, in said county, I have seized and taken all the right in equity that Otis Buckman, of Stoneham, in said county, had on the twenty-eighth day of November, A. D., 1866, or now has, to redeem the following described Mortgaged real estate, situated in said Stoneham, and bounded and described as follows, viz: A certain lot of land, situated in the central part of Stoneham, on the southerly side of Franklin street, at the junction of Franklin street and Pond street, containing about forty-six rods, be the same more or less, with a dwelling house and other buildings standing thereon, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the Northeasterly corner of said premises, at the corner of the fence by said Franklin street and land of Aaron Stone; thence the line runs Southwesterly by said Stone's land to land of B. F. Bean; thence Northwesterly by said Bean's land to a post at said Pond street; thence Northeasterly by and on said Pond street, eight rods and two links, to a stake at the junction of said streets aforesaid; thence Southeasterly by and on said Franklin street, to the place of beginning; being the same premises Mortgaged by said Buckman to Luther and John Hill, of said Stoneham, April 3d, 1857, and recorded in Middlesex South Registry of Deeds, Book 785, page 379. And on TUESDAY, the *Eighth* day of January, A. D., 1867, at my office, in Woburn, No. 7 Wade's Block, at four o'clock, P. M., I shall offer for sale at Public Auction, said right in equity of redemption, to satisfy said execution, and all cost and charges of sale.

HORACE COLLAMORE, Deputy Sheriff.

Woburn, December 6th, 1866. 3t

Posters printed at this office.

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Frank B. Dodge,

Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

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His stock consists of all kinds of

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And a general assortment of

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Fine Table Cutlery,

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Every article warranted to be as represented.

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OLD GOLD and SILVER taken in exchange.

Gold, Silver and Steel SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASS, &c.

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All goods sold by me, engraved free of charge.

Frank B. Dodge,

OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Dec. 8, 1866. 3m

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MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

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BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

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All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

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A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.

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Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,596,282.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance*, inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN McGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
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SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

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AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
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And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

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This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.

CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.

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STORE,

IN BOSTON!

Nearly opposite the Museum.

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LADIES, you should by all means attend this Closing-Out sale. We are selling at

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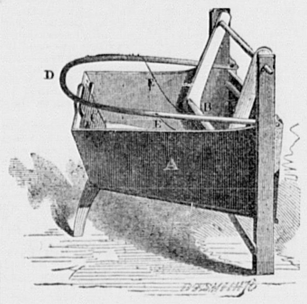
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If desired, a *wringer* may be attached to the back of the box.

This machine is operated with the greatest ease, even by a child eight or ten years old; washes with great rapidity, and does not wear the clothes.

DIRECTIONS.—For washing three sheets, or about that quantity of clothing, put in 10 quarts of water.

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IN GREAT VARIETY,

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Goods of American Manufacture,

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We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also,

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Then have it repaired and

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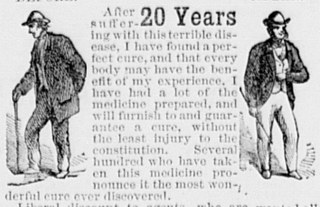
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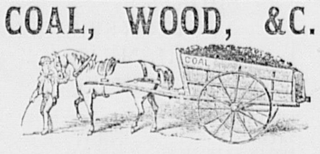
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LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

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Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

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It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing, will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

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Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain, AND GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS' RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept —and at the lowest cash prices.

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The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two

HARRISON'S PERISTALIC LOZENGES

regularly every night, you will get rid of COSTIVENESS, which is the chief cause of PILES, either bleeding or blind.

Lozenges, and they will thank us for calling their attention to them. One after dinner or supper banishes every form of Indigestion. Two move the bowels once only, and never gripe, or require increase of dose, thus differing from all PILLS.

For HABITUAL CONSTIPATION they excel every other remedy.

J. S. HARRISON & CO., Proprietors,

No. 1 Tremont Temple, Boston.

Sold everywhere, or will be mailed on inclosing 60 cents. oct 13—1y

DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist.



Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

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Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

SULPHURIC ETHER,

Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain.* Charges moderate.

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10,

aug 11 BOSTON.

J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party. J. M. T.

Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

JOHN C. OSGOOD,

DEALER IN

Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,

No. 33 Winter St., Boston.

The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the

Cheapest Market Prices.

JOHN C. OSGOOD.

oct20—3m

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DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,

Woburn Centre.

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,

AND

UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.

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DEALER IN

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No. 10 Tremont Row,

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Jobbing & Retail.

EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Boots and Shoes,

☞ OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE. ☜

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

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CARPETINGS,

OIL CLOTHS,

AND

WINDOW SHADES,

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OLD STAND,

136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,

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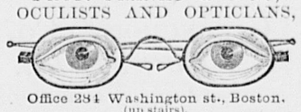
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PROF. FRANKS & SONS,

OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.

(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connnection with any pedlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by THE LATE S. FRANKS, who had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. jan20—1y

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT.

Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE

For Sale.



The large and superior two story dwelling house, together with the land under and adjoining the same, belonging to the heirs of the late Hon. Albert H. Nelson, is offered for sale on favorable terms. Said estate is situated on Academy Hill, in Woburn, adjoins the premises of Charles Choate, Esq., and is one of the most desirable locations in town. The lot, which is large, is well stocked with fruit and other trees. Apply on the premises, or to JOHN CUMMINGS, JR.

Woburn, March 17, 1866.

Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low.* The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.

oct 6—3m

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.

feb3—1y

NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market

On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,

VEGETABLES and FRUITS,

☞ IN THEIR SEASONS. ☜

POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

AND

HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

of the very best quality.

GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.

Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,

AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.

nov3

$75,000 Worth

—OF—

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING

AT THE

NEW STORE,

43 and 45 Summer st.

BOSTON.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

—OF—

OVERCOATS

—AT—

Low Rates.

GEO. W. CARNES.

dec 1—1m

WILLCOX & GIBBS'

SEWING MACHINES.

STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

Wade Block, cor. Main & Park sts.,

AGENT FOR WOBURN CENTER.

A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

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DENTAL NOTICE.

Limitation Four Months.

DR. S. STOCKING, Dental Surgeon, No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON, in consideration of the unusual dullness of the present season, proposes to his old patients and others needing dental operations, a reduction of his fees to the old standard before the war, except where Gold or Platina Plate is used. This liberal arrangement for the next four months, will bring the price of setting and filling teeth within the reach of all, so that those who can raise the small sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents, can have in return a full set of teeth on rubber, with false gums, that will vie with Nature herself for beauty, adaptation and usefulness. dec 1

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter Co.

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

GENERAL MANAGER,

154 Tremont Street,

BOSTON.

J. K. SIMPSON, Constructing Engineer,

246 West 35th Street,

NEW YORK.

dec. 1

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the style of F. C. TAYLOR & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. MR. HENCHMAN is alone authorized to settle accounts for and against the late firm.

F. C. TAYLOR,
C. T. HENCHMAN.

Woburn, Nov. 28, 1866.

The undersigned will continue the grain business at the old stand of F. C. TAYLOR & Co., first door south of the Central House, where we shall ever be happy to see the old patrons of the store, and by using the greatest care in selecting our stock, and offering it at the lowest prices, shall hope to merit the patronage of the public generally.

C. T. HENCHMAN & Co.

Woburn, Dec. 1.—1m

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have formed a limited copartnership, under the name and style of JAMES SKINNER & CO., for five years, from July 1st, 1866, for the manufacture of Patent, Enameled, and Curried Leather.

JAMES SKINNER,
SIMON BLAKE.

Woburn, Dec. 1, 1866. 3t

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

JOHN L. PARKER, Agent,

WOBURN, MASS.

OFFICE, KELLEY'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET.

CHARLES A. SMITH,

DEALER IN

American and Foreign

DRY GOODS,

Bank Block, - - Woburn

SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

GEORGE O. DALTON, M. D.

OFFICE:

No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.

Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,

WOBURN CENTER.

F. L. GERALD,

VETERINARY SURGEON,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN, MASS.

Office, at the Central House Stable.

Treats all diseases of Horses, Cattle, and the lower animals. Cures all curable Splents, Spavin, Ring Bone, &c. Also cures Felons, Rheumatism, Sprains, and Bruises upon the human flesh, if seen in the first stages of the disease. sept22

$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles*, just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

E. P. WHITE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,

86 North St., Boston.

E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

and for the

ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.

☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.

PERSON'S ORIGINAL

WEATHER STRIP DEPOT,

151 WASHINGTON STREET, 151

Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in one *Winter.*

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

LOCAL AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.

oct20—3m

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

B. F. HEBARD & SON,

149 Broad street, Boston, Mass.

oct6—3m

HEADQUARTERS FOR

FIGS

IN DWARF PACKAGES.

J. F. CONANT & CO., Wholesale Grocers and Fruit Dealers. FIGS in ¼, ½, ¾ and 1 lb. round and oval boxes CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

50 & 51 Chatham Street.....Boston.

J. F. CONANT, F. F. CONANT, H. GREEN.

oct 27—3m

HAND-KNIT SHAWLS

—AT—

A GREAT SACRIFICE!!

JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.

Having bought the entire stock of a well known Manufacturer of

HAND-KNIT SHAWLS,

—AT—

A GREAT DISCOUNT!!!

will give their retail customers the benefit of the purchase.

We shall offer on MONDAY, Nov. 19,

350 Shawls at $4.00—former price $6.00.
150 " at $4.50— " " $6.50.

The selection embraces many new styles, and the goods have all been made this season.

John Harrington & Co.,

17 Tremont Row, Boston. 17

dec 1—m ONE PRICE ONLY.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements*, from whatever cause. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

Middlesex Journal.

Devoted to the Local Interests of Woburn, Winchester, Stoneham, Reading, North & South Reading, Wilmington, Burlington and Lexington.

Vol. XVI : : No. 13. WOBURN, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1866. TWO DOLLARS A YEAR SINGLE COPY 4 CENTS

The Season of Storms.

The blasts of autumn and the chill storms of early winter are apt to make sad inroads upon the constitutions of the feeble. In old times at the commencement of every season it was the fashion to take a strong cathartic as a safeguard against a change of temperature. It was a worse than senseless practice. The people of our day understand the matter better. Instead of depleting the system they reinforce it. In the method they adopt they exhibit a wise discrimination. Instead of resorting to the vitiated stimulants of commerce, or any of the compounds derived from them, they put their faith in the only absolutely pure invigorant procurable in the market—HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Their faith is well founded. Never has any tonic medicine been prepared with such scrupulous precission and conscientious care. It is a vegetable compound of which every ingredient is sound, wholesome, and *medicinal* in the true sense of the word. Now we have three prominent national complaints. One-half of the adult population of the United States suffer more or less, either from disease of the stomach, derangements of the liver, or affections of the kidneys. In no other land under Heaven are those maladies so general as in this country, and HOSTETTER'S BITTERS is a specific for them all, unless organic in their origin, and, therefore, beyond cure. And let those who are fortunate enough to be exempt from them at present understand one great fact, viz: that an occasional use of this vitalizing tonic will as certainly prevent them as the sun will prevent the earth from freezing where its genial beams descend.—*Communicated.* nov 24—1m

INVASION!

Do you wish to have your hair cauterised from the scalp? No. Then beware of the new brood of Vitriolic and Caustic Dyes got up by nostrum-mongers, who bear the same relation to the responsible Chemist that

Pirates and Privateers

bear to honest merchantmen. Remember that the experience of years, and the very highest scientific endorsements, gurantee the superiority of

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE

over every other in use. It is purely vegetable, infallible and instantaneous. Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers.

dec 1—1m

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS.

BEST STRENGTHENING PLASTER IN THE WORLD.

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS resolve and assuage pain by calling forth the acrid humors from parts internal to the skin and general circulation—thus, in many cases, positively evaporating the disease. SAMES LULL, M. D.

There is nothing equal, in the way of a plaster, to the Porous Plaster of Mr. ALLCOCK. Everything is pleasant about them. They are the plaster of the day, and a fit type of our present advancement in science and art. In Asthma, Cough, Kidney Affections, Gout, Rheumatism, and local deep-seated pains, they afford permanent relief.

J. F. JOHNSON, M. D., on "Topical Remedies."

From a personal knowledge of these plasters, we can state that they are decidedly preferable to any other in use. Wherever relief is to be obtained by the use of a plaster, we should recommend them.

A. INGRAHAM, M. D., Editor *New York Mentor.*

Agency, Brandreth House, New York.

Sold by all Druggists. dec 1—1m

DR. P. MEREDITH, Dentist, office No. 132 West Sixth Street, states as follows:

CINCINNATI, October 1, 1863.

MESSRS. J. N. HARRIS & CO.—Gents.—About one year ago I took a cold which settled on my lungs. A violent cough was the consequence, which increased with severity. I expectorated large quantities of phlegm and matter. During the last winter I became so much reduced that I was confined to my bed. The disease was attended with cold chills and night-sweats. A diarrhœa set in. My friends thought I was in the last stages of Consumption, and could not possibly get well. I was recommended to try

ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM.

The formula was shown to me, which induced me to give it a trial, and I will only add that my cough is entirely cured, and I am now able to attend to my business as usual. Yours respectfully,

P. MEREDITH.

Sold by GROSVENOR & CO.

And by all dealers in Family Medicines.

dec 1—1m

Smolander's Extract of BUCHU!

Is sold by all Apothecaries, everywhere, for only ONE DOLLAR. It is a *certain cure* for

DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, DROPSY, FEMALE DISORDERS, AND GENERAL DEBILITY.

arising from excesses of any kind. Read the following TESTIMONY OF A CITY MISSIONARY:—

CHARLESTOWN, MASS. Nov. 23d, 1865.

MESSRS. BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, Mass.:

I feel it a duty I owe to you, and to such of the community as are suffering as I have suffered, to make known through the medium of your advertisements the CURE that, through the blessing of God, you have wrought upon me by using SMONANDER'S BUCHU. I had *suffered over one year* with *Kidney Disease* so bad I *could hardly walk.* I took four bottles of *Smolander's Buchu,* and it *cured me.*

WILLIAM M. MELLEN, City Missionary.

ALL APOTHECARIES SELL THIS VALUABLE PREPARATION, AND ASK ONLY ONE DOLLAR FOR IT. TRY IT.

BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Wholesale Druggists, Boston, *General Agents.*

nov 10

CHOLERA!

MR. PERRY DAVIS—SIR: The benefits I have received from the use of your invaluable remedy, the Pain Killer, induces me to pen a word in its praise. Experience has convince me that for Headache, Indigestion, Pain in the Stomach, or any other part of the system, severe Chills, Weariness, common Colds, Hoarseness, CHOLERA, CHOLERA MORBUS, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Toothache, etc., THERE IS NOTHING BETTER THAN THE PAIN KILLER. I have this hour recovered from a severe attack of the Sick Headache, by using two teaspoonfulls, taken at thirty minutes intervals, in a wine glass full of hot water. I am confident that, through the blessing of God, it saved me from the cholera during the summer of 1843. Travelling amid heat, dust, toil, change of diet, and constant exposure to an infected atmosphere, my system was daily predisposed to dysentery attacks, accompanied with pain, for which the Pain Killer was a sovereign remedy, one teaspoonfull curing the worst case in an hour, or, at the most half a day! I have heard of many cases of Dysentery being cured by its use. Put in the teeth, it will stop the toothache. Gratitude, and a desire for its general use, has drawn from me this unsolicited testimonial in its favor.

D. T. TAYLOR, JR., Minister of the Gospel.

dec 1—1m

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge), with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE FOR CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, COLDS, and all Throat and Lung Affections. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription, FREE, by return, mail, will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,

dec30-1y Williamsburg, Kings Co., New York.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF Real Estate.

IN pursuance of the power of sale contained in the deed of mortgage dated September 25th, A. D., 1865, recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 955, pages 241-247, made and executed to me, William M. Bailey, Trustee, by the Rubber Sole Shoe Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of Massachuseits, and having its place of business at Stoneham, in said County of Middlesex, and for breach of the conditions contained in said mortgage, I, the said William M. Bailey, Trustee, will sell by public auction, on the lot or parcel of land first hereinafter described, on THURSDAY, the 27th day of December, A. D., 1866, at 12 o'clock, noon:

All and singular, the several lots or parcles of land hereinafter described, and the fixtures connected therewith, the same being all the Real Estate described in said deed of Mortgage. All of said parcles of land are situated in said Stoneham, and are severally bounded and described as follows, namely:

First. A parcel of land with the factory, dwelling house and other buildings thereon, bounded, northeasterly on the old road leading from Stoneham to Malden, easterly on Washington street, so called, southerly on land now or late of Joseph Lynde, westerly on land now or late of Joseph Hurd, and northwesterly again on the same land to the point of beginning, containing, by estimation, eight acres and three quarters, more or less.

Secondly. A parcel of land with the buildings thereon, bounded, beginning at the easterly side of said Washington street, at the northwesterly corner of land now or late of said Lynde, thence northerly by said Washington street forty six feet more or less, to the southerly line of Wyoming street, thence turning and running easterly by said Wyoming street two hundred two feet, more or less to a stake, then turning and running south thirty-two degrees west (S. 32° W.) by land now or late of Michael Killian, fifty eight feet nine inches to a stake, then turning and running westerly by land now or late of said Lynde, two hundred eight feet to the point of beginning, containing ten thousand, six hundred seventy six square feet, more or less.

Thirdly. A parcel of land bounded, beginning at the northeasterly corner thereof, at the corner of the fence against the road leading from Stoneham to Malden, and at land now or late of Joseph Hurd, thence southeasterly against said road about two poles, six links to land now or late of said Hurd, thence bounded, easterly, southerly, westerly and northerly, on land now or late of said Hurd to the bound first mentioned. The said parcel of land is situated near the factory formerly of said Hurd and contains two acres, twenty poles, more or less.

The above described parcels of land are the same which were conveyed to the said Rubber Sole Shoe Company, by the N. Hayward Company, by deed dated September 14th, 1863, recorded in Middlesex Registry of Deeds, South District, Book 914, fol. 170-172.

Fourthly. A parcel of land near the Forest Mills, so called, bounded, beginning at the southeasterly corner thereof on Wyoming Avenue, so called, at the corner of land now or formerly of Nathaniel Hayward, thence southwesterly on land now or formerly of said Hayward, seven hundred sixty feet to the corner of a wall and land now or formerly of William Foster, thence northerly on said land of said Foster by the wall one hundred seventy-five feet, to land now or formerly of said Hayward, thence northerly on said land of said Hayward four hundred fifty-six feet nine inches to the corner of a wall, thence easterly on land of said Hayward one hundred thirty-six and six-tenths feet to the Old Road, thence easterly on the Old Road one hundred twenty and one-tenth feet to land of Grundy & Brother, thence southerly on land of said Grundy ninety-nine feet to a stake and stones, thence southeasterly on land of said Grundy one hundred thirty-four feet to a stake and stones, thence northeasterly on said land of said Grundy one hundred thirty-four feet to a stake and stones, thence northerly on said land of said Grundy thirty-six and six-tenths feet to the Old Road, thence on the southerly side of said Old Road three hundred twenty-eight feet to the point of beginning, containing three acres one quarter two rods, and being the same premises commonly known as the Hurd Mill Lot.

Fifthly. A parcle of land lying north of the last described lot, bounded, beginning on the easterly side of Wyoming Avenue, at a point north of the point of beginning of the said last described lot, thence running from the wall northwesterly on said Avenue, seven hundred eighty-seven and three-fourths feet to land of heirs of Thomas Gould and corner of a wall, thence easterly on said land of said heirs seven hundred five and one half feet to the corner of a wall, thence southerly two hundred twenty-two feet to the point of beginning on said Wyoming Avenue, containing two acres three hundred two feet, being the lot commonly known as the New Road Lot.

Sixthly. Another parcel of land lying between Wyoming Avenue and the Old Road, bounded, Beginning at the Easterly corner and running Westerly on the Northerly side of the Old Road two hundred forty seven feet to land of Grundy & Brother and a stake and stones, thence Northerly forty seven feet on land of said Grundy by a wall, thence Westerly on land of said Grundy ninety nine and three tenths feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southerly thirty three and one half feet on said land of Grundy to the Old Road, thence Westerly on said Old Road, three hundred forty six feet to said Wyoming Avenue, thence Easterly on the Southerly side of said Wyoming Avenue three hundred ninety eight and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing three fourths of an acre and thirty one rods, being the Lot commonly known as the Old Road Lot.

Seventhly. Another parcel of land west of the parcel last described, and lying on the Southwesterly side of said Old Road and Wyoming Avenue, bounded, Beginning at the Easterly corner thereof and running on the Southerly side of said Old Road and Wyoming Avenue four hundred twenty five feet six inches to the corner of a wall and land now or late of William Foster, thence Southwesterly by a wall and land now or late of said Foster one hundred thirty one and four tenths feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southerly by a wall and land of said Foster one hundred ninety four feet to the corner of a wall, thence Southeasterly by a wall and land of said Foster fifty six and one half feet to land now or formerly of Nathaniel Hayward, thence Easterly on land of said Hayward three hundred forty eight and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing one and one half acres and thirty nine rods and being the Lot commonly known as the 'Northwest Lot.'

Eighthly. A parcel of Meadow land, lying south of the Rubber Factory, bounded, beginning at the northeasterly corner at the corner of land of John Buckman and Spot Pond Brook, thence running southerly on the land of said Buckman two hundred fifty-three feet more or less to a stake and stones, thence southwesterly fifty feet on land of Jona. Lynde to a stake and stones, thence westerly on land of said Lynde eighty-nine and one half feet to a stake and stones, thence northerly seventy-four feet on land of said Lynde to Spot Pond Brook, thence on Spot Pond Brook, following the course of the stream three hundred thirty-six and one half feet to the point of beginning, containing three quarters of an acre and three quarters of a rod, and being the Lot commonly known as the Meadow Lot.

Ninthly. Also all of the following rights reserved in the deed of Joseph Hurd to William Foster, dated May 1st, 1866, and recorded in Middlesex Registry Book 483, fol. 42—namely, the Mill Right then possessed and enjoyed by the said Joseph Hurd—and the right and privilege of building a new dam about six rods west of the present dam with all the lawful rights appertaining thereto and provided for such purposes, but to encroach no further on the banks of the brook than is necessary for abutments of such new dam, with such right of flowage as said Joseph Hurd possessed at the date of the said deed to the said Foster.

The parcles of land fourthly, fifthly, sixthly, seventhly and eighthly described, and the said reserved rights, were conveyed to the said Rubber Sole Shoe Company by the N. Hayward Company, by its other deed dated September 14, 1863, recorded in the Registry aforesaid, book 914, fol. 172, &c.

All the said parcles of land are conveyed with all the rights, privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or usually enjoyed therewith.

Terms and conditions made known at the time and place of sale.

WILLIAM M. BAILEY,
Trustee, Mortgagee.

JOHN H. CLARK, Auctioneer.

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MARY OF THE HEATH.

BY MRS. BRAY.

It must now be nearly half a century ago, when one fine summer's day, about the hour of noon, a little girl, who could not have been more than ten or eleven years old, was seen on a particular part of —— Common, or Heath in Kent (not very far from the house of a wealthy baronet,) suspending a pot on three sticks set upright in the ground, after the manner of gipsies, over a fire which she had kindled beneath it. She was dressed in rags, and seemed miserably poor and forlorn. The child was alone. The singularity of the circumstances excited the surprise of two ladies, who were taking their morning walk on that airy and agreeable common. They looked around, expecting to see a party of gipsies, to whom they conjectured the child must belong; but, though wide and open, not a living creature, saving the little girl boiling her pot, was to be seen far or near. Their curiosity was raised and much increased, when, on a nearer approach, as she turned her head towards them, though burnt and browned with the sun and wind, they saw at a glance that the face that looked out from a bonnet worn all out of color and shape, and the arms which were but partially covered by an old tattered cloak, was neither of the gipsy character or complexion. The features were small, round, and the eyes and hair of true Saxon origin—blue and light brown. There was also an expression of artlessness in the countenance, which, it must be confessed, is not very generally the distinguishing mark of the daughters of Egypt. There was something so singular in the solitariness, of the employment and the personal peculiarities of the child, it was impossible that two ladies of good hearts and benevolent intentions could other than feel interested for her. They proceeded therefore, at once to question her, beginning with the kindly and encouraging expression of "My dear," as they asked what she was doing there?

"Boiling my pot for my breakfast," was her reply.

"And what have yon got in it?"

"Two turnips that I took out of a field."

"Is that all you have got for your breakfast?"

"All except some bits of bread."

"That's a very poor breakfast. To whom do you belong?"

"To nobody."

"To nobody! and you so young! How did you come here, and where are you going?"

"I don't know."

"You neither know how you came here nor where you are going! What a strange story! What is your name and where did you come from? You must have come from some place."

"My name is Mary, and I came a long way off; but I can't tell where."

"How did you get here?"

"I walked; I've been many days walking."

"I never heard so strange an account as you give of yourself. Where did you get that pot?"

"I brought it away with me."

"Then you must have come from some persons with whom you have been living. Tell us now the truth. Have you not been with gipsies?"

A blush rose in her cheeks as she replied, "Yes, I have been with gipsies."

"Where are they? and where did you leave them?"

She paused a moment, looked down, and then said, "I got away from them, for I did not like their way of life."

"And when was it? and how have you lived since you left them?"

"Very hard," said the child. "I begged my way along the roads, and with the few halfpence I got I bought a little bread to save me from starving. I have nowhere to go; I have no home."

She burst into tears, and there was something so forlorn both in her voice and her countenance as she spoke these words, it was impossible to doubt their truth. There was nothing in it of the whine of a made-up tale to excite compassion, and she rather sought to wipe away her tears unobserved, as she turned aside her head than to make a parade of them.

"I am sure," said Miss G——, the daughter of a neighboring baronet, "there is something very uncommon in this child's story. Poor creature, she is really in very great distress. Let us take her home, and mamma will know better than we can what it would be the best to do for her."

Her friend assented, and Miss G—— turned to the child, and told her that if she would come along with her she would give her some good advice. The little girl followed gladly enough, but she would not leave the pot behind her, for that and the miserable attire on her back was all the property she possessed in the world.

Lady G—— was a woman of known benevolence; but she was not one who exerted it without due caution and judgment. The truly afflicted sought her doors, the idle and vagabond passed on, certain that inquiry would precede relief. Yet with all this Lady G—— did not carry caution to that cold and extreme extent which rendered her suspicious where there appeared marks of want and sorrow that carried with them their own evidence of sincerity. This was such a case.

"That child," said Lady G——, (after hearing her daughter's account of the meeting on the common) "is indeed in want of food and rest. I can see it in her looks. I can see that her distress is real in every line of her face, which is a very pleasing one; and in the few words she has spoken there is such a touching tone, very different from hypocrisy. She shall have something to relieve her hunger, and then we will question her.

The little creature's tears were seen to start in her eyes at the sight of the food, for she was famishing with want. The meal ended; once more she was conducted to the presence of the ladies. Lady G——, with much gentleness, commenced her interrogatories, after having kindly, but in a way suited to the capacity of a poor untaught girl, endeavored to impress on her mind the duty as well as the importance to herself of speaking the truth.

The following particulars were artlessly narrated:

The child began by saying that she was born in Bath. Her father was in business in that city; she told his trade. Her mother-in-law treated her so harshly and unkindly, that on some gipsis coming into the neighborhood, as she was allowed to run neglected about, and glad to be out of the sight of her severe step-mother, she got acquainted with them, and was finally induced by their persuasion to run away and join them. With these gipsies she had lived two or three years, going about the country with them. She did not know if her father had made any inquiry concerning her or not. At length not liking the way of life of the people among whom she had fallen, she determined to leave them on the first opportunity. She had stolen away from them, taking nothing with her but one of their old pots, with a view to cook for herself a turnip, or anything she could get to support her, so that she might not die for want of food. She had wandered about the roads and waysides, begging, ever since she quitted the gipsy camp, and with the very few halfpence she had picked up in this manner had bought a penny loaf at a village she might pass in her rambles. She did not at all know where she had been wandering, but at last she had reached the common, where the young ladies found her that morning.

Lady G—— had little or no doubt that the child's tale was true; and think-that to cast out so young and so unfriended a creature again on the wide world would be to give her up to destruction, she resolved to afford her present shelter, at least till she could ascertain by inquiry that all she had stated was correct. Having obtained from the child the name and address of her father, she determined at once to write to Bath, begging an immediate reply.

In the interval the poor little wanderer was attired in better clothes, and placed under the especial care of a steady female servant, with a charge to keep a strict eye upon her. In a few days an answer came from Bath confirming the girl's story, and expressing an earnest wish for her return home to live with her father. But the little Mary evinced so much terror at the thoughts of going back to her mother-in-law, that Lady G—— forbore to urge her return home.

She had been greatly interested by the simplicity of her young charge, and the servant to whose more especial care she had been committed spoke very favorably of her. Lady G—— proposed, therefore, to keep her in the family, and to try to make a servant of her, beginning with some humble duties in the household. The child's gratitude was of the liveliest kind; there was nothing bad in her; indeed her natural disposition seemed docile and amiable. But she had received no instruction; all her good qualities must, therefore, be inherent. This was very promising; and her benefactress, after a few weeks more of probation, finding that she might be trusted among the other children, sent the little Mary to the village school. There the child showed so much aptitude for learing reading, writing, ecc., that she soon became the head of the class, and made such progress that on leaving school, two or three years after, she was promoted in the household, and became lady's maid to her benefactress. In this situation she continued for sevsral years, repaying the kindness and generosity of Lady G—— by the most assiduous fulfillment of her duties, and the warmest attachment to her person.

Finally—and few stories of romance conclude so satisfactorily as this tale of real life—the trustworthy and respectable house-steward of the family took her to wife. Lady G——, with an unwearied interst in her well-being, furnished the house for the good couple very handsomely, and made the bride the mistress of the village school, where she had been fostered and educated. Greatly was that excellent lady pleased to see that when her favorite attained the height of her good fortune—cherished by her superiors, beloved by the poor, and respected by every one—the full-grown woman in her prosperity carefully preserved the old pot as a precious relic of the lowly & afflicted state from which, by Providence, she had been so mercifully rescued, when, as the forlorn little Mary, she prepared to boil her turnips on a heath in Kent on the most eventful morning of her life.

THE OLD CHURCH.

Last evening we were walking leisurely along. The music of choirs in three churches came floating out into the darkness around us, and they were all new and strange tunes but one; and that one, it was not sung as we had heard it, but it awakened a train of long buried memories, that rose to us even as they were before the cemetery of the soul had a tomb in it. It was sweet old "Corinth" they were singing—strains that we have seldom heard since the rose color of life was balanced; and we were in a moment back again to the old church; and it was a summer afternoon, and yellow sunbeams were streaming through the west windows, and the silver hair of the old deacon who sat in the pulpit was turned to gold in its light, and the minister, who, we used to think, could never die, so good was he, had concluded "application" and "exhoriation," and the village choir were singing the last hymn and the tune was "Corinth."

It is years we dare not think how many since then, and the prayers of "David the son of Jesse" are ended, and the choir scattered and gone—the girl with blue eyes that sang alto, and the girl with black eyes that sang air; the eyes of one were like a June heaven at noon, and the other like the same at night. They both became wives, and both mothers, and both died. Who shall say they are not singing "Corinth" still where Sabbaths never wane, and congregations never break up? There they sat, Sabbath after Sabbath, by the square column at the right of the "leader," and to our young ears their tunes were "the very soul of music." That column bears still their penciled names, as they wrote them in those days in life's June, 183—, before dreams of change had overcome their spirits like a summer's cloud

Alas! that with the old singers most of the sweeter tunes have died upon the air. But they linger in memory, and they shall yet be sung in the sweet reunion of song that shall yet take place by-and-by, in a hall whose columns are beams of morning light, whose ceiling is pearl, whose doors are gold, and where hearts never grow old. Then she that sang alto, and she that sang air, will be in their places once more.—*Benj. F Taylor.*

MAKING POETRY.—Few men ever elaborated as he did,—not even Rousseau, when he wrote over whole pages and chapters of his "Confessions," I forgot how many times. Fine thoughts were never spontaneous with him, never unexpected, never unwaited for,—never, certainly till long after he had got his growth. In fact, some of the happiest passages we have seem to be engraved, letter by letter, instead of being written at once, or launched away into the stillness, like a red-hot thunderbolt. Well do I remember a little incident which occured in Baltimore, soon after the failure of Pierpont and Lord,—and Neal, when we were all dying of sheer inaction, and almost ready to hang ourselves—in a metaphorical sense—as the shortest way of scoring off with the world.

We were at breakfast,—it was rather late.

"Where on earth is your good husband?" said I to Mrs. Pierpont.

"In bed, making poetry," said she.

"Indeed!"

"Yes, flat on his back, with his eyes rolled up in his head."

Soon after, the gentleman himself appeared, looking somewhat the worse for the labor he had gone through with, and all the happier, that the throes were over, and the offspring ready for exhibition. "Here," said he, "tell me what you think of these two lines?"—handing me a paper on which was written, with the clearness and beauty of copperplate,

"Their reverend beards that sweep their bosoms wet
With the chill dews of shady Olivet."

"Charming," said I. "And what then? What are you driving at?"

"Well, I was thinking of Olivet, and then I wanted a rhyme for Olivet; and rhymes are the rudders, you know, according to Hudibras; and then uprose the picture of the Apostles before me—their reverend beards all dripping with the dews of night." [John Neal.

PETER THE GREAT.—The famous Menzikoff had shed his blood in battle, and exposed his life to defend the life of his master, Peter the Great. But joined to his many brilliant qualities were great vices; his cupidity and ambition were without bonds; he used for his own advantage large sums designed for the public benefit. Having left St. Petersburg in the suite of the emperor, who was hastening to Astrachan with the design of surprising and taking possession of that city, he learned on the way that he had been denounced, and that the emperor was fully informed of his robberies and extortions.

The gloomy countenance and silence of the prince, whose inflexible severity he knew, announced to him his disgrace. He believed himself already precipitated from the height of honor to opprobrium and misery; the deserts of Siberia, the solitude of a long exile, the headman's axe, came by turns before his imagination; his blood took fire, and a malignant fevor attacked him; for three weeks he lay in a wretched chamber in a state of frightful delirum. Finally he awoke, and looked anxiously around the cabin; he seemed abandoned; only one man was near him; only one cared for him; one voice only addressed to him words of comfort. It was that of the emporer. It was Peter the Great.

This unlooked-for sight restored to him life and strength; burning tears rolled down his face; he fell at the feet of the monarch.

"Great God!" he cried. "My sire, is it you?"

"Yes," replied the emperor, raising him up; "for three weeks I have not left your bed."

"What! do you love me yet? Have you pardoned me? You have not then condemned to death a guilty—"

"Unhappy man!" said Peter embracing him: "believed you I could forget that you had saved my life?"

At the bottom of a truly great soul, the virtue one is most sure to find is gratitude.

CHOLERA IN SCOTLAND.—It is worthy of remark that the epidemics of cholera which occured in Scotland subsequent to 1832 first appeared in the autumn, when the weather began to cool, increased with the decline of temperature, and died out on the advent of warm weather. These facts may serve to indicate that cold weather should not be relied on to arrest the progress of cholera, especially as such reliance might lead to the neglect of the employment of those sanitary measures which have been found so successful in checking the ravages of this disease. The epidemic of 1832, however, broke out towards the end of January, increased with the rise of the temperature, proved most fatal in the autumn, and died out in December. In the present epidemic the cholera made its appearance in the last week of July, and although its ravages were partial and the deaths comparatively few up to the end of September, still they sensibly augmented the mortality. It may be noted that the weather which prevailed immediately before the outbreak of cholera in 1848 might be substituted for that which prevailed previous to its outbreak this year: the same kind of fog which wind does not seem to remove has hung over the country, and more especially over the places affected with cholera. The disease also appears to have invaded Scotland much in the same manner as it did in 1848, appearing in the towns and villages on the seaboard of the east coast, and then spreading over the country, generally selecting as its victims the inhabitants of the town, village, street or hamlet who were living under bad sanitary arrangements, or who were using water from rivers, burns, lochs, pump-wells or cisterns impregnated with organic matter in a state of decomposition; and thus the epidemic in Scotland, as in England, has clearly demonstrated, by its selection of such fields for propagation, what are the best preventive measures to adopt against future invasion. It may be mentioned that the microscope often detects the presence of organic matter in the water when chymical analysis fails to show that anything is wrong.

SYDNEY SMITH'S COMMON SENSE.—Never give away to melancholy; resist it steadily, for the habit will encroach. I once gave a lady two and twenty receipts against melancholy. One was a bright fire; another to remember all the pleasant things said to and of her; another to keep a box of sugar plums on the chimney-piece, and a kettle simmering on the hob.

Never teach false morality. How exquisitely absurd to tell girls that beauty is no value—dress of no use! Beauty is of value; her whole prospects and happiness in life may often depend on a new gown or becoming bonnet, and if she has five grains of common sense she will find it out. The great thing is to teach her their just value, and that there must be something better under the bonnet, than a pretty face for real happiness. But never sacrifice truth.

I am convinced digestion is the great secret of life; and that character, talents, virtues and qualities are powerfully affected by beef, mutton, piecrust and rich soups. I have often thought I could feed or starve men into many virtues and vices, and affect them more powerfully with the instruments of cookery than Timotheus could do formerly with his lyre

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FEMALE SUFFRAGE.

Appearances indicate that the subject of female suffrage is about to be discussed anew, and with more ability and earnestness than ever. The recent animated discussion in the U. S. Senate, and the fact that nine venerable and illustrious Senators voted for such liberty in the district of Columbia, with the rapid march of events in our country, announce a new era at hand. Negro suffrage and female suffrage are coming up together. The mighty revolution emancipating four millions of slaves, and marching them up to the ballot box to deposit their votes in this great Republic, naturaly calls out the question of fifteen millions of our fellow citizens, who have been deprived of suffrage on account of their sex. Congress has no power over this question any more then it has over negro suffrage, except in the District of Columbia, where it has supreme control, but the legislatures of the respective States have entire jurisdiction, and it will come up whenever the question of negro suffrage shall be agitated, and the enquiry will be pertinent and cannot be set aside, what reasons are there for admitting the negroes, who have formerly been slaves to the privilege of the elective franchise, which are not in force also, for females? To quote from Senator Cowan's eloquent remarks:—

"When you have told of the injuries and outrages which prevail on earth in regard to the negro, you have not finished. Another, and in my judgment, a much more important personage, comes upon the scene; she lifts the curtain and reveals to you a new drama, and she tells you distinctly that you have not only been tyrannizing over your brother, your sable brother, your brother at the other end of the national antipodes, and others. I say this new personage who makes her appearance upon the drama of human affairs, informs us that you and your religion, under the conduct of the male, generative, fecundative principle of the sex, have filled the world with blood from one end to the other of it. What for? To give her liberty. She complains to-day; she complains in your most intelligent high places; she complains in your most refined cities; she complains in your halls decorated with a more than Grecian beauty of architecture; she complains where all of past civilization, all of past adornment, and all of past education comes down to satisfy us that we stand upon the very acme of human progress; she complains that you have been tyrant to her."

In common with many others the first presentation of this question finds us unprepared for a prompt answer. It is such an innovation upon established usage. It shocks our sense of the delicacy and retirement of woman; and we think of our mothers and sisters, and wives and daughters, leaving their homes and going out to mingle with the squabbles and take part in the outcries of a contested election. That is one view of the question, but Senator Anthony presents another:—

"A woman pays a large tax, and the man who drives her coach, the man who waits upon her table, goes to the polls and decides how much of her property shall go to support the public expenses, and what shall be done with it; she is taxed without representation."

This subject is coming up for a general and thorough discussion. There are women who demand this right and send in petitions for it. The world is throwing off its shackles; giving up prejudices; restoring rights, and doing justice to each and all. Six years ago slaves were sold on the auction block in the city of Washington, and to-day an act has passed giving them the ballot. Woman's rights are also becoming to be respected. They are already entering upon lucrative and honorable professions, and the laws have been greatly ameliorated in her favor in the marriage relation, rights of property, &c.

It may be necessary to save our country, that woman should be admitted to suffrage. Intelligence and virtue constitute the only safety of free institutions, and woman excels in the latter and possesses her full share in the former.

Senator Cowan made quotations from the former proceedings of the 29th annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Anti-Slavery Society, going to show, that the black males abuse their power over their wives, as well as their white brethren, and consequently, black women should be admitted to vote, that they may have laws for their protection.

Miss Anthony said:—"When the positive order was sent to me to compel the marriage of the colored people living together, the women came to me with tears and said, we don't want to be married in the church, because when we are married in the church, our husbands treat us as old massa used to, and whip us if they think we deserve it; but when we ain't married in the church they know if they tyrannize over us we go and left them."

And the men came to Mrs. Gage and said, "We want you to compel them to be married, for we can't manage them unless you do. They goes and earns just as much money as we does, and then they goes and spends it and never asks no questions. Now we wants 'em married in the church, 'cause when they's married in the church we makes 'em mind."

Of what use is it to set the black women free, if they only exchange a white massa for a black one? This whipping of wives by husbands ought to be put a stop to.

The Detroit Free Press says that the last crop of winter wheat in Michigan "may fairly challenge comparison as to quality with any that was ever grown in the country."

The Philadelphia mint is producing about 2,000,000 pieces of the new fives per month.

PROCEEDINGS OF TOWN MEETING.
Dec. 14, 1866.

On Article 1—Chose A. E. Thompson, Moderator.

On Article 2—Voted, That the Selectmen be instructed to purchase the lot of land owned by Rufus Wyman, and others, for the enlargement of the Woburn Cemetery, at a price not exceeding four hundred and fifty dollars per acre.

Dissolved the meeting. W.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

WINCHESTER, Dec. 15, 1866.

MR. EDITOR,—A few lines from one who has been spending some months in Chicago, may not be uninteresting to some of your readers.

Chicago is one of the greatest wonders of this wonderful age. Within the memory of men still in the prime of life, its site was unoccupied save by a fort at the mouth of the Chicago river, which for years stood alone on the vast prairie as an outpost of civilization. Fort Dearborn is no more, but in its place, a city, inhabited by nearly a quarter of a million souls, with buildings rivalling in architecture those of Boston or New York, its miles of docks lined with shipping, and its enterprise as displayed in its public works, astonishing the world—has sprung into existence. And the end is not yet. Its growth was perhaps never more rapid than at present. Nine thousand buildings, of various kinds, have been erected during the past year, and still the cry is "more room." Its streets, once noted for their terrible condition, are rapidly receiving the best pavement in the world; its new railroad depots are unrivalled in the country, and its church edifices, rapidly increasing in number, and mostly of stone, present a purity of style and an elegance of construction, which is surprising in so new a country. A person expecting to find himself surrounded by the characteristics of the "back-woods," would be soon undeceived by a visit to Trinity Church on a Sabbath evening. The immense interior, with its beautiful decorations, filled with an elegantly dressed audience, the rich-toned organ, the select quartette, assisted by a choir of boys, and the impressive manner of conducting the Episcopal service, make one fancy himself in the great "Trinity" of New York.

Great as is the attention attracted to Chicago by its unexampled growth and prosperity, she is now taking the world by surprise by the boldness and vigor with which she is projecting and carrying forward great public enterprises. Among these the Lake tunnel, carried out for two miles at a depth of thirty to fifty feet below the bed of the lake, for the purpose of bringing from that distance the pure water which fills the lake, but which is so defiled near the city, is the most striking. The shaft at the shore end is eighty feet deep, and the earth is brought out and material carried in by means of cars running up and down through this shaft by steam power, and propelled through the tunnel on rails, by a diminutive mule, which, seen from the top of the shaft, looks like a rat—(a comparison peculiarly natural in Chicago.)

Another great undertaking is the tunneling of some of the streets under the river, which runs through the heart of of the city. This is rendered necessary by the constant passage of vessels, which has kept the draw-bridges open so much as to seriously impede travel and business. One tunnel has been commenced and others will follow its completion.

Still another improvement being carried forward, is the canal from the Chicago river to the Illinois river, by means of which its current will be turned the other way, and made rapid enough to relieve the city of its sewerage promptly, which has not before been accomplished. This will but be restoring the normal state of things; as in the opinion of geologists, Lake Michigan originally found an outlet for its waters through the Chicago and Illinois rivers into the Mississippi; and this drainage of the Lake by both the great rivers of the continent, the Mississippi and the St. Lawrence, accounts for its evident large fall in height.

But among all the other noteworthy projects and enterprises of Chicago, none are so cheering as those which manifest the religious activity and liberality of many of her citizens. Filled as the city is with emigrants from the Old World, the majority being Germans, almost without religion, it affords an unusually hopeful field for missionary effort, especially among the children of these foreigners. And the friends of religion have responded nobly to the call. Some ten or twelve mission Sabbath schools have been established in various parts of the city, each of which has become the centre of a strong religious influence, several of them having resulted in regularly formed churches.

Some of these schools have over one thousand pupils each, and the work is constantly growing.

The Young Men's Christian Association, is also doing a noble work, under its whole-souled and energetic President, Mr. Moody; whose recent addresses in this vicinity have attracted so much attention. When they have completed their new building, which is to cost about $200,000, the inducements which they will offer to young men to seek their recreation without falling into vice, will exert a great influence in saving many from the wickedness which is so rampant there as in all new and "fast" cities.

Much as New York may claim Chicago as an off-shoot of her greatness, she has certainly no reason to be proud of the way in which "her child" follows her example in politics; but if there be any question as to the origin of Chicago, we of New England may point to her now, the Banner City of Republicanism, with her 6,000 majority for freedom, and simply say—"By their fruits ye shall know them." F.

The New Bedford Mercury tells the following story: When the company of Seneca Indians recently gave a concert in Barnstable, Hon-non-heah, the chief, made a speech in the court-room, where the musical entertainment was given. In the room is suspended the effigy of a codfish, and in his speech the chief, who is a lawyer, pointed to it and called it the "emblem of justice." After the concert some one remarked to Hon-non-heah that he had misapprehended the symbol; that it was only a codfish. "And yet," said the chief, "it is an emblem of justice. *Does it not wear the scales?*"

Gold is the only idol that is worshiped in all lands without a temple, and by all sects without hypocrisy.

THE TROUBLE IN IRELAND.—It has been said that Englishmen sympathize with rebels in every country but their own. The Liverpool *Times* is inclined to support this view, and suggests, in reference to Ireland, that wise statesmanship is more needed than the use of military power. A leading article says:

We are now surrounding the Irish coast with war vessels and gunboats; we are engaged in making the weak points of the land strong, and the strong points impregnable; we are filling the country with soldiers, arming the constabulary, and doing everything in anticipation of a rising before Christmas on the part of the Irish and the Irish Yankees who are coming across the sea to the assistance of their brethren; and our publicists, particularly those of the Tory press, are counseling the shedding of blood enough should rebellion again raise its horrid head, apparently unconscious of the fact that, if in any other part of the world such a proof of bad government existed, there are no terms of scorn and contumely which we would not hurl at the heads of rulers whose incompetency had brought about so flagrant a state of misery and discontent. Of course Fenianism must be put down with a strong hand, and measures of repression, however harsh and bloody, will be supported in the present state of public opinion for the preservation of law and order. But will shooting and hanging extirpate it? If Ireland were decimated to-morrow, and the scenes in Jamaica re-enacted there, would discontent cease, and loyalty take the place of the deeply-rooted antipathy amongst the people to the British connections? As we have tried severity so long, cannot we be induced to qualify a little the bitter medicine? Is statesmanship an art so little known and studied in England that no remedy can be found for the acknowledged evils of her sister country?

MR. EDITOR:—Some seven years ago, a Debating Club was formed in this town, and after meeting once a fortnight some nine or ten months the war commenced, and it was thought advisable to suspend the meetings for an indefinite time. But now that the war is ended, and the people settled again into their calm reasoning mood, I would suggest, through your paper, the propriety of the Club either resuming their meetings, or of forming a new Club for the purpose of debate.

The young men of the town will meet together some where, and would be likely to meet at some place less likely to promote their moral or intellectual advancement than a debating Club would be. Can we not induce the young men to do something for their honor and profit, by learning to think and talk logically. The best debaters in the country are those who have practised debating in some such meetings, or like Henry Clay, practising that art by talking to himself in the barn or elsewhere, daily.

How few comparatively can express their thoughts before an audience, without feeling a degree of trepidation in the delivery. Speaking well is, in some, a special gift, but with most it is an art to be acquired by practice.

Why is it that we have never had a man in the Councils of the Nation? Is it for want of talent? or is it for want of cultivation of the talents which we have?

Let us have a debating Club, and see what can be made of it.

Will the Secretary of the former Club please take notice, and call a meeting of the old members. S.

[From the Albany Evening Journal.]

COMMERCIAL INTEGRITY.—It is not often that we find commercial men canceling debts they are not legally obligated to pay, and every such instance ought to be placed on record for the emulation of the public. We, therefore, publish the letter found below without the knowledge of the writer:—

ALBANY, Dec. 1, 1866.

Mr. ——

Sir—The firm of W. & J. Teadwell. Perry & Norton, was organized and conducted under the laws of the State of New York relating to "Special Partnerships," and thus at the time of its failure, in 1860, the members thereof were legally prevented from giving a perference to their employees for the amounts due them for services.

It has been my hope and desire, that sooner or later, I should be in a condition to pay at least this meritorious class of creditors, and it gives me unspeakable pleasure to announce to you that I am now able to make a commencement. I have obtained the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for this purpose, and you will please call at the office of Messrs. Perry & Co., Oriental Stove Works, No. 115 Hudson street, and receive your dividend.

Although these claims are "barred by the statute of limitations," it is my intention to make yearly such payments on them as my circumstances will allow, and I trust the day is not far distant when I shall have the satisfaction of feeling that they are paid in full.

Thanking you for the consideration which you have shown towards each member of the firm, I remain, respectfully yours, JOHN S. PERRY.

To those purchasing Sewing Machines, we would say buy the Wheeler & Wilson, Machine, for it is SIMPLE and DURABLE and will do every kind of Sewing. They are emphatically among the best in the market.

The Board of Visitors to the Military Acadamy at West Point suggest that the number of cadets should be increased from 292, the number now authorized by law, to 400. They state that for four years, from 1856 to 1860, the graduating class averaged only thirty-five and a half persons per annum, or little more than one to every million of inhabitants.

When a boot-maker commences to make a boot, the first thing he uses is the last.

WOBURN LOCALS.

MASONIC.—On the evening of the 14th inst., the officers of Mount Horeb Lodge, were duly installed into their respective offices. Worshipful Past Master Wm. T. Grammer performed the ceremonies in a very impressive and appropriate manner.

The Worshipful Master announced the following appointments:

Chaplain—Francis Cummings.
Marshall—Samuel A. Grammer.
Organist—William H. Clarke.
Tyler—Joseph B. Stowers.

After the business of the evening had been disposed of, the members of the Lodge, with some invited guests, proceeded to Central House Hall, where a bountiful supper was discussed in a truly satisfactory manner. It was prepared by O. R. Still, in his usual good style, which is all that need be said on that point. After the supper had been partaken of, a subscription paper was passed round the table, for the purpose of raising funds to pay for the new and splendid organ recently purchased by the Lodge, and $219 were subscribed on the spot. The remainder of the evening was passed in an intellectual manner, many of the members and brethren present making excellent remarks, and at the hour of twelve the company separated, all feeling that they had passed an agreeable evening.

CONCERT.—Friday evening, Dec. 28, is the one set apart for the popular entertainment in Lyceum Hall, as announced in another column, by Messrs. Barnabee, Carter, Clarke, and the boy soloists. It should be understood that the music will be of a more pleasing character than was given in the Congregational Church a short time since. Mr. Barnabee, as a humorist, has no equal, excelling even the celebrated John Parry, of England. It having been announced last month, that he would appear at the Boston Museum, in a farce with Warren, every seat in the house was taken in less than an hour after the ticket office was opened. Among the pieces he will sing on this evening, is a descriptive humorous song, entitled, "Alonzo, Ye Brave," and the mirth provoking "Lost Child," &c. Not only is Mr. Barnabee a great attraction, but each of the extraordinary boy singers will sustain their respective parts, besides fine instrumental music by Mr. Carter. We learn that many reserved seats have already been engaged, and were spoken for even two weeks in advance.

An effort is being made to make a free Skating Park, near the house of Samuel Russell, which, if constructed, will give a surface of about three or four acres for those who love to "cut their capers" on the ice. But a small sum is now required to bring to completion the work that has already been begun, and it is hoped that all interested in skating will contribute their "mite" toward this enterprise. Work has begun on the land, and the dam has been constructed, and other preparations made, and probably by Christmas, there will be skating on the Park. A few more dollars and the undertaking will be a success. All those who feel interested in promoting the object, will please hand their favors to F. W. Ellis.

SABBATH SCHOOL FESTIVAL.—Arrangements are making by the First Congregational Church and Society, for a Sabbath School Festival, to take place on Christmas evening. A collation will be served, and each of the children will be presented a Christmas present.

CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY.—There will be a Christmas Assembly on Tuesday evening, at the Central House Hall, which all lovers of dancing are invited to join. The music will be furnished by Gerry & Barnes' of Stoneham. Tickets only one dollar. Supper will be furnished to all who may order it.

The Selectmen have purchased of Rufus Wyman, and others, a lot of land, adjoining the Cemetery grounds, containing 8 3-4 acres, for the purpose of enlarging the Cemetery. The sum paid was $450 per acre.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.—Grosvenor & Co., at their apothecary store, Wade's Block, have an excellent assortment of Toys and Fancy Articles for the holidays. Also a complete assortment of wreaths, crosses, stars, and Christmas trees, which they are selling very low. Their store presents a fine appearance, being decked out in holiday attire, with much artistic skill.

THE WEATHER.—On Sunday night and during the most of Monday, we had a fall of snow, to the depth of about four inches, since which the weather has been fine and the sleighing excellent. Our people have been out in force, to enjoy it.

Rev. Dr. Lord's Lecture, on Gustavus Adolphus, was a most interesting production. His next lecture will be given on Thursday evening next. Subject—Cardinal de Richelieu.

SOCIAL FESTIVALS.—The Sabbath School connected with the Methodist Church, will hold a Social Festival on Christmas evening, commencing at 6 1-2 o'clock. Exercises to consist of Fairy Colloquys by Young Ladies, Recititations and Singing by the Children, and *Christmas Tree.* All present will have the privilege of exchanging gifts through the medium of the *Tree.* Admittance 10 cents.

We learn that the members of the Unitarian Church are now making preparations for a Christmas Festival. The children connected with the Sabbath School will be the recipients of appropriate presents, &c.

The Baptist Church and Society will also give a Festival to their Sabbath School Scholars, on Christmas Eve. The Christmas Tree will present unsual attractions.

W. N. H. A.—The last lecture of ths course on Zoology, by Prof. Putnam, was delivered on Tuesday evening. The subject was "Fishes." It was one of the most interesting of the course. Probably some time during the winter there will be a course of lectures by Prof. Morse, of the Salem Institute, on some branch of the Natural Sciences. He gave one very interesting lecture, in the absence of Prof. Putnam, which was fully appreciated by the audience. His ambidexter drawings upon the board pleased as well as instructed. It is to be hoped he will come.

Rev. Eli Fay will occupy the pulpit of the Unitarian Church next Sabbath. We trust he returns to town with his health fully restored.

The members of the Congregational Church and Society of Woburn Centre, in connection with the church of North Woburn, held a Fair and Festival on Thursday evening last, as previously announced in this paper. There were also present quite a number of friends from the Congregational Church in Winchester. The object of the gathering was to raise funds for the North Woburn Church. The number in attendance was about 700. The festivities of the evening were freely indulged in by all. The supper and ice cream tables were well patronized, and the Old Folks' Concert was a rare feature of the entertainment, and gave great satisfaction and pleasure to those who thronged the concert room. The receipts were large. We think about $1,100 were raised during the evening. Of this sum, rising seven hundred dollars were contributed by some benevolent gentlemen, for the purpose of paying off the total indebtedness of the North Woburn Church. J. M. Harlow, M. D., seemed to be active in this good work, and announced to the audience what had been done. The glad news was warmly welcomed by all present, and Rev. Mr. Wheeler, the pastor of the North Woburn Church, returned thanks in behalf of himself and his people, in a feeling and appropriate manner.

One of the most pleasing features of the evening, was the frequent announcement of the arrival of the mail in Woburn. We have been so long with only one mail a day, that it seemed refreshing to be put once more in close communication with the outside world. We learn that many letters, long since over due at this place, were received during the evening, some of them containing large remittances for our friends in North Woburn. We do not know how it is, but we have heard it whispered that some improvements will soon be made on the Church, in view of the large sum thus received, not the least of which will be the removal of an *ornament*, termed a mortgage, which the friends of the Church have long looked upon as quite too expensive a luxury for them to enjoy. In short, the North Woburn Congregational Church was in debt to the amount of $740, on Thursday last, but to-day can pay every dollar of its indebtedness, and put a handsome sum in pocket. This is well, and as it should be.

We cannot here help saying a word or two respecting the parent society, the First Congregational Church, from which the North Woburn Church is an offshoot. This is one of the largest and most prosperous Churches in the Commonwealth. Their house of worship is one of the most, commodious and expensive structures in the State, and all its appointments are in keeping therewith. Within two years the Society has paid a debt of $40,000, given over $2,000, in donations, to their pastor, contributed $1000 towards a new church in Lexington, given $1,000 or more, to the North Woburn Church, and at the same time contributed liberally to all the usual benevolent operations of the day—amounting to thousands more. A noble Church, truly, is the old and honored First Congregational Church of Woburn. Long may she live and prosper, scattering blessings on all who come within the sphere of her influence.

E. F. Poole, Esq., was arrested on Thursday, on a complaint for selling cider, and fined $50 and costs of Court. Mr. Poole appealed to a higher tribunal. This complaint against Mr. Poole was simply the result of maliciousness. It was known by some worthless rumsellers, who had been frequently "brought to grief," that Mr. P. would, in the kindness of his heart, occasionally sell to a friend, who might solicit it, a glass of sweet cider. These miserable men set a trap for Mr. P., and caught him in it, and he was taken all the way to Reading for trial. All the result, as before stated, of sheer maliciousness. We have no more worthy citizen in town than Mr. P.

We learn that Mr. A. L. Armor, has been licensed by the Selectmen, and given full authority to keep a public Billiard Saloon in this place. Mr. A., since he has had charge of the Saloon, has so conducted it, as to give perfect satisfaction to the public.

NEW GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAYS. Artemas Wood, No. 11 Wade's Block, has now on hand one of the largest and best assortments of Holiday and Fancy Goods, ever offered to the people of Woburn. Among his stock may be found:—Ladies' papier-mache writing desks and work boxes, Tivoli boards, dressing cases, fancy boxes, ladies' leather bags, work baskets, glove and handkerchief boxes. Also, a good variety of dolls, consisting of rubber, china, dress, crying &c; doll heads, and doll bodies; toys; vases; smoking sets; cigar stands; watch stands; watch boxes; parian pitchers; cups and saucers, card baskets, &c., &c. All these goods will be sold at prices to suit the times.

At a special meeting of the town of Woburn, held in the Town Hall, A. E. Thompson, Moderator, the object of which was to see if the town would, by vote, instruct the Selectmen to call the County Commissioners to lay out so much of the land belonging to the brothers Wyman as was needed for the enlargement of the Cemetery,—J. B. Winn, Esq., one of the largest tax-payers in Woburn, offered the following: Voted, That the Selectmen of the town be instructed to purchase the lot of land owned by Rufus Wyman, and others, for the enlargement of the Cemetery, at a price not exceeding four hundred and fifty dollars ($450) per acre.

The vote was nearly unanimous, but two voting nay. The town acted wisely in thus avoiding protracted and vexatious litigation, to say nothing of the expense. They will secure a clear title to the property.

WILD CHERRY BALSAM—The memory of Dr. Wistar is embalmed in the hearts of thousands, whom his *Balsam of Wild Cherry* has cured of coughs, colds, consumption, or some other form of Pulmonary disease. It is now over forty years since this preparation was brought before the public, yet the demand for it is constantly increasing.

On the occasion of a wedding in Troy, New York, a lady appeared with jewels that in amount cost as much as the meeting house, and all of its fixtures, with the land. *O mores!*

MR. EDITOR:—In company with and by invitation of a friend, I visited the Fair and Festival held in the Vestry of the Congregational Church, for the benefit of the Evangelical Church in North Woburn; and, judging from the large company of smiling faces, it was a season of much enjoyment. It was as if the mother had called her children home to bless them. The Winchester Church, an offshoot from Woburn, was largely represented, and there was also a general attendance from North Woburn. The tables, on either side of the large vestry, were quite attractive, and the lady merchants found a ready sale for their little wares. The Old Folks' Concert was well adapted to stir up reminiscences 'of long ago.' The glistening eye and grateful look was evidence of the satisfaction felt by the audience. The concert was repeated three times during the evening. The Saloon, with King Hiram, as outside sentinel, admitting any one for a consideration; and here it may not be out of place to inform Mrs. Sopeland, that her cream was very nice and sweet, but would kindly ask, "If is was not just a little tetched with the frost?"

The Supper table was all that could be wished for by the veriest gourmand. The tables were spread bountifully. Although rather delicate ourselves, yet, casting an eye over in the corner, we espied *Luke, the beloved Phy——*, from W., who, after a hearty supper, was looking thoughtfully on a quarter section of mince pie, and on the strength of his example, we ventured to nibble a small piece of fowl and sip a cup of fragrant old Java. Our friend justly remarked to the ticket master, that the North Woburn Church were the poorer for *his* visit, and in justice it should be said that it is astonishing the quantity of food a little man will eat. From the rotund appearance of those who refreshed themselves at the supper table, as they with measured tread promenaded the hall, I should judge the N. Woburn people know how to set a good table. A pleasing episode occurred during the evening, which was quite refreshing. The Church in N. W. were encumbered with a debt of $740. The holder of the note, however, agreed to take $600 for it. The amount was generously contributed on the spot, and with about $400, the receipts of the Fair, amounted to $1000. Thus the condition of this little body of disciples, has, since the commencement of this year, been changed from adversity to prosperity.

A VISITOR.

WINCHESTER.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT AND TREE.—Mr. J. C. Johnson will give an exhibition of some of his juvenile pupils in music and singing, in the vestry of the Cong. Church on Monday evening next, (Christmas Eve.) In connection with it there will be a Christmas Tree, from which presents will probably be distributed to the numerous juveniles present. Those who have been present at previous entertainments of this kind will need no reminder to secure their attendance, but to those who have not, we will say that by attending you will not only afford the children an evening's pleasure, but you will contribute something towards the benefit of this teacher, who spares no time or expense to please the children and instruct them in music and singing.

THE OLD HIGH SCHOOL HOUSE.—It is to be regretted that the lateness of the season at which the new building was finished has prevented the removal of the old one. The idea of removing the old shanty up into the Rumford Division is an absurd one. In the first place, it is not needed, as we have more school room now than will be occupied for many years to come. In the second place, it is not a proper or suitable building. We have been at sufficient expense in the erecting of the new buildings to avoid any further, when it is not necessary.

Let the old building be sold, and either taken down or moved away bodily, as soon as the weather will permit, and not let it remain to mar the locality of the surrounding buildings. We have done the handsome thing in the erection of new school houses—one more than was actually needed for the sake of compromise—and now let us rest satisfied and not attempt more. If the schools in some localities are crowded, let them be relieved by transfer to the centre, where there is abundant room.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—A look into our friend Brown's store reminds us of the approach of the season of presents. We would say to our citizens, that they can save the time and expense of a trip to the city, by visiting this store and selecting from the large variety of goods there displayed, whatever they may desire. Mr. Brown and his Clerk, will be pleased to show their customers all sorts of toys and gifts for Christmas presents, and dispose of them at reasonable prices.

EXCELSIOR.

QUIRKS.—A locomotive on a western railroad has been adorned with the motto, "I still live." That is more than many of the passengers can say at the end of their journey.

A stump-orator of New York State wanted the wings of a bird to fly to every town and county, to every village and hamlet in the broad land; but he wilted when a naughty boy in the crowd sang out—"Dry up, you old fool; you'd get shot for a goose before you flew a mile!"

What is the difference between a deadly assault and pig-killing? One is an assault with intent to kill, and the other to kill with intent to salt.

To renovate an old hat, take it to an evening party, and leave early.

Houses should be furnished with large lights for the convenience of the livers.

Why are railroad companies like laundresses? Because they have ironed the whole country, and sometimes do a little mangling.

A young gentleman suffering from too strong a sensation of the more tender feelings, defines his complaint as an attack of *lass*-itude.

"What is a humbug, papa?" asked little John. "It is when mama pretends to be very fond of me, but don't sew the buttons on my shirt."

A dog who had lost the whole of her interesting family, was seen trying to poke a piece of crape through the handle of the door of a sausage shop in Rochester the other day.

By the will of the late Sylvanus Packard of Boston, which was admitted to probate on Saturday, Tuft's College in addition to bonds previously given receives $200,000.

The Russian ministry of War has ordered the conversion of 160,000 muskets into breach-loaders.

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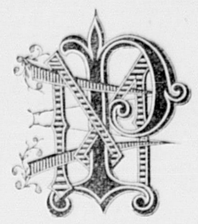
At South Reading, 13th inst, by Rev. C. R. Bliss, at the residence of L. Beebe, Esq., Henry G. Hartshorn to Emma L. Cotton, both of S. R.

Died

In Woburn, 15th inst, Lydia A., youngest daughter of John Winning, 30 years, 3 days.

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Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8†, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p .m.
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
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E. J. JENKS, Cashier.

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A Great Variety of

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OF THE BEST QUALITY.

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The BEST preparation for the Hair, is

HOVEY'S HAIR BALM.

It gives entire satisfaction to my numerous customers.

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CHRISTMAS IS COMING!

SELECT YOUR PRESENTS

AT

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MEN'S HEAVY RIBBED SHIRTS AND DRAWERS.

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With a good assortment of

GENT'S AND BOY'S FINE CLOTH GLOVES.

A. WOOD.

NO. 11 WADE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALHT

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

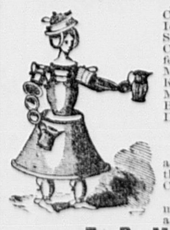
N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

Boston, July 28, '66. 1y

CROCKERY,

Glass, China, Parian & Britannia Wares, in New Styles, and large Variety.



PLATED WARE,

Castors, Cake Baskets, Ice Pitchers, Forks, Spoons, Tea Pots, Sugars, Creams, Slop Bowls, Coffee Pots, Call Bells, Mugs, Goblets, Pie Knives, Soup Ladles, Mustard and Salt Spoons, Butter Knives, Butter Dishes, Napkin Rings,

TABLE CUTLERY,

a large assortment, at the lowest prices for Cash.

Also, a good assortment of Paper Hangings at reasonable prices.

E. B. MASON,

33 Hanover, near Court street, Boston.

GROSVENOR & CO.,

are now receiving a

LARGE SUPPLY OF

FANCY ARTICLES,

FOR THE

HOLIDAYS.

CHRISTMAS AND

NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

Frank B. Dodge,

Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

LARGE

AND

WELL SELECTED STOCK

OF

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

JEWELRY,

STERLING

SILVER WARE,

FANCY GOODS,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,

&c., &c., &c.,

His stock consists of all kinds of

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

FINE SILVER

AND

PLATED WARE,

☞ And a general assortment of ☜

Fancy Goods!

SUCH AS

ALBUMS,
LEATHER BAGS,
WATCH STANDS,
THERMOMETERS,
HDK'F and GLOVE BOXES,
DRESSING CASES,
FANS,

with a large variety of Lava, Parian and Etruscan

VASES,

COLOGNES, SMOKER SETS,
MATCH BOXES, &c.

Fine Table Cutlery,

RAZORS,

POCKET KNIVES,

and every article usually found in a

FIRST CLASS

Jewelry Store.

Every article warranted to be as represented.

FINE WATCHES

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED.

ALL KINDS OF

CLOCKS AND JEWELRY

REPAIRED AND WARRANTED TO GIVE SATISFACTION.

OLD GOLD and SILVER taken in exchange.

Gold, Silver and Steel SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASS, &c.

Engraving Done to Order.

All goods sold by me, engraved free of charge.

Frank B. Dodge,

OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Dec. 8, 1866.—3m

NEW GROCERY STORE.

THE undersigned would respectfully give notice to the people of Woburn and vicinity, that the store formerly occupied by J. S. Ellis, on

MAIN STREET, NEAR SALEM,

is still open; and he has on hand and is constantly receiving a good and fresh assortment of Goods, consisting of

Flour, Grain, Meal,

Choice Vermont Butter,

BEST FAMILY GROCERIES,

Foreign and Domestic Fruits,

JELLIES AND PRESERVES.
Also, a large astortment of Crockery, Glass, Stone and Wooden Ware, &c.

☞ All of which he offers at the lowest prices.

URBANE DERBY.

A CARD.

MRS. LOCKERBY,

BEING AN

EXPERIENCED AND THOROUGH

CLOCK AND WATCH

MAKER,

AS ALSO

JEWELRY DEALER,

would most respectfully invite the inhabitants of Woburn and its vicinity to CALL, TRY AND EXAMINE her ability to perform that which she professes, at her establishment,

MAIN STREET,

OPPOSITE THE COMMON.

All orders neatly and promptly attended to, and perfect satisfaction given.

"CALL AND TRY."

Woburn Center, Sept. 15th, 1866.

BOUNTIES AND PENSIONS.

OFFICE OF MIDDLESEX WAR-CLAIM ASSOCIATION, 4 NILES BLOCK, 33 SCHOOL ST., BOSTON.

Under the resent Acts of Congress, three years men, their widows or heirs, and three years men discharged for wounds, who have received only $100 U. S. bounty, can now obtain $100 more; and widows drawing a pension of $8 per month can obtain $2 per month for each child under sixteen years of age, by forwarding their Discharge papers or Pension certificates to this office.

A. B. COFFIN, ATTORNEY.
aug 11—6m

$1,500 PER YEAR! We want agents everywhere to sell our IMPROVED $20 Sewing Machines. Three new kinds. Under and upper feed. Warranted five years. Above salary or large commissions paid. The ONLY machines sold in United States for less than $40, which are *fully licensed by Howe, Wheeler & Wilson, Grover & Baker, Singer & Co., and Bachelder. All* cheap machines are *infringements* and the *seller or user* are *liable to arrest, fine and imprisonment.* Circulars *free.* Address, or call upon Shaw & Clark, Biddeford, Maine, or Chicago, Ill. dec30—1y

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LOCK STITCH

Sewing Machines!

HAVE TAKEN THE

Highest Premiums

At the Principal Fairs in this country, as well as in Europe. They are the most Simple, Practical and Economical Sewing-Machines in use. Competent judges who have used the different machines, pronounce the Wheeler & Wilson as the most reliable as well as the most simple and durable Machine, consequently not liable to get out of order, because they sew every variety of material from the coarsest to the very finest fabrics.

Hem, Fell, Braid, Cord, Gather, Stitch, and Bind.

For FAMILY SEWING.
For TAILORING.
For DRESS MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.
For SKIRT MAKING.
For SHIRT MAKING.
For CLOAK MAKING.
For MANTILLA MAKING.

IN FACT,

For every king of Practical Sewing, WHEELER & WILSON'S IS THE ONLY ONE IN USE.

H. C. HAYDEN,

AGENT,

Office, 228 Washington St.,
oct20—3m Cor. Summer street, Boston

Home Insurance Company,

NEW YORK.

Abstract of 26th semi-annual Statement,

JULY 1st, 1866.

Cash Capital,	$2,000,000.00
Assets, January 1st, 1866,	3,506,282.00
Liabilities,	130,385.13

"The Home" continues to offer to all who seek *Reliable Insurance,* inducements surpassed by no other company.

JOHN MCGEE, Sec'y. CHARLES J. MARTIN, Pres't.
J. H. WASHBURN, Ass't Sec'y. A. F. WILMARTH, Vice Pres't.

SPARROW HORTON,
Agent for Woburn and Vicinity.

Woburn, Aug. 4, 1866.—1y

Copartnership Notice.

THE undersigned hereby give notice that they have this day formed a copartnership under the name and style of G. R. GAGE & CO., for the purpose of carrying on business as Drapers and Tailors.

G. R. GAGE.
F. A. FLINT.

Woburn, October 1st, 1866. nov 24—tf

Cards printed at this Office

DRESSING CASES

FOR

LADIES

AND

GENTLEMEN,

AT

GROSVENOR & CO.'S

QUINCY MUTUAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY!

Cash Fund Sept. 1, 1866, $196,008.07,
AND ALL LOSSES PAID.

Dwelling Houses,
Household Furniture,
Farmers' Barns and contents,
Churches, Stores and contents,

And the safer Class of Risks, insured on very favorable terms.

All Losses Promptly adjusted and paid.

S. F. Thompson, Agt. for Woburn.

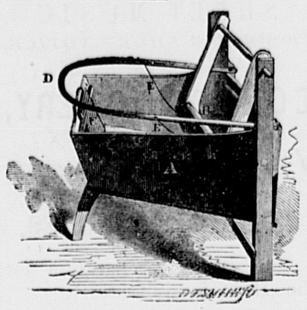
This Company has been in operation fifteen years, has paid over $350,000 in Losses, and over $175,000 in Dividends to Policy holders.

WM. S. MORTON, President.
CHAS. A. HOWLAND, Secretary.
sept29—1y

THE

UNION WASHER!

Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board combined.



THE Union Washer combines an excellent Washing Machine, Wash Tub and Rubbing Board, in a most compact, convenient and portable form, is pronounced by all who have used it a perfect machine, and just the thing that every family needs.

If desired, a *wringer* may be attached to the back of the box.

This machine is operated with the greatest ease, even by a child eight or ten years old; washes with great rapidity, and does not wear the clothes.

DIRECTIONS.—For washing three sheets, or about that quantity of clothing, put in 10 quarts of water. TRY IT, and save your time, strength and clothes.

Persons wishing to try one of these Machines, with a view of purchasing if satisfactory, can do so by applying to the manufacturer,

C. H. EDMANDS, Summer St., Lynn, Mass.
nov 10—2m

LEARNARD & HARTLEY,

Per "Melita" and "Bosphorus."

We are in receipt of the latest designs of

ENGLISH CARPETINGS,

IN GREAT VARIETY,

which together with a complete assortment of

Goods of American Manufacture, AND OIL CLOTHS,

We are offering at the LOWEST prices. Also, WINDOW SHADES AND TRIMMINGS,

—AT THE—

OLD STAND,
136 Hanover & 78 and 80 Union St.,
oct 13—3m BOSTON.

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING.

J. Walter Reed,

HAS REMOVED HIS

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING,

TO CHAMBERS

300 Washington St.,

Corner Suffolk Place. (a few doors South of West Street.)

The new stock is one of the LARGEST ever shown in Boston, and will be sold at LOW PRICES. A large assortment of the newest styles of PIECE GOODS is now on hand, which will be sold by the yard or made into garments for

Gentlemen, Youth or Boys.

nov 3—3m

MY CLOCK WON'T GO!

Then have it repaired and

Warranted for Three Years,

AT

J. J. BEALS & CO.'S,

No. 101 Union Street, Haymarket Square, BOSTON,

Having facilities second to none in New England for repairing Clocks of every description, we guarantee perfect satisfaction.

Clocks sent for and returned in Boston without extra charge Orders by mail solicited.

nov 3—3m

WHISKERS AND MUSTACHES

FORCED to grow upon the smoothest face in from three to five weeks by using Dr. SEVIGNE'S RESTAURATEUR CAPILLAIRE, the most wonderful discovery in modern science, acting upon the Beard and Hair in an almost miraculous manner. It has been used by the elite of Paris and London with the most flattering success. Names of all purchasers will be registered, and if entire satisfaction is not given in every instance, the money will be cheerfully refunded. Price by mail, sealed and postpaid, $1. Descriptive circulars and testimonials mailed free. Address BERGER, SHUTTS & CO., Chemists, No. 285 River Street, Troy, N. Y. Sole agents for the United States. dec 1—1m

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HOLIDAY GIFTS,

for OLD or YOUNG,

AT

HORTON'S WOBURN BOOKSTORE.

dec 1—1m*

L. H. ALLEN,

FUNERAL UNDERTAKER,

FURNISHES at his Wareroom, four doors north of depot, Caskets of all sizes and qualities. Black Walnut, Mahogany, White Wood, and Pine coffins, of every size and price. Plates of various styles, and Plain and Fancy Handles. Thibet, Cashmere, Colored, Lawn, Muslin, and Cambric Shrouds. Metallic Caskets furnished at the shortest notice. Every thing furnished at the lowest living prices.

The subscriber now offers to the public his new and elegant HEARSE, which has been manufactured expressly to his order, and which he will furnish with one or a pair of horses, at the usual price.

He likewise offers the new invention for preserving the bodies of deceased persons by cold air alone, without the direct application of ice, which is so repugnant to the feelings. When preserved by the cold air process, a glass reveals at any mo ment the features of the departed, and the corpse will keep much longer than in the ordinary way.

The subscriber would take this opportunity to return his thanks for the liberal patronage he has hitherto received, and hopes with his new improvements to continue to give his customers the highest satisfaction

All orders answered with promptness, and Coffins delivered within ten miles free of expense.

L. H. ALLEN.

MRS. M. E. FIELD,

DEALER IN

MILLINERY!

AND

FANCY GOODS,

NEW BANK BUILDING,

WOBURN.

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to

CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.

oct13—6m

Carpetings and Curtains!

AS good an assortment of FINE MEDIUM and LOW PRICED

CARPETINGS,

As was ever exhibited in Boston, is now being opened at the

NEW CARPET HALLS,
116 TREMONT ST.,

which, together with a large stock of WINDOW SHADES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS, will be sold at

VERY LOW PRICES.

FOREIGN GOODS BY EVERY STEAMER.

☞ Domestic Goods daily from Manufacturers and New York Auctions. ☜

WINDOW SHADES & DRAPERIES MADE TO ORDER.

LACE CURTAINS, in great variety at low prices.

Childs, Crosby & Lane,

No. 116 Tremont Street, Boston,

Nearly opposite Park Street Church.

sept22—3m

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.



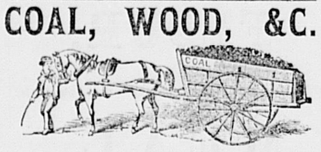
After suffering **20 Years** with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to and guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.
july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Baywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. He trusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

JOS. B. McDONALD.

Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG

SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,

On the corner of Main & Mann Sts.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. E. G. BERRY & CO.

SNOW POWDER

Patented May 29, 1866.

This is an article for washing without rubbing, except in very dirty places, which will require a very slight rub, and unlike other preparations offered for a like purpose, *will not rot the Clothes,* but will leave them much *whiter* than ordinary methods, without the usual wear and tear.

It removes grease spots as if by magic, and softens the dirt by soaking, so that rinsing will in ordinary cases entirely remove it.

This powder is prepared in accordance with chemical science, and upon a process peculiar to itself, which is secured by Letters Patent. It has been in use for more than a year, and has proved itself an universal favorite wherever it has been used. Among the advantages claimed are the following:

It saves all the expense of soap usually used on cotton and linen goods.

It saves most of the labor of rubbing, and wear and tear.

Also, for cleaning windows it is unsurpassed.—With one quarter the time and labor usually required it imparts a beautiful gloss and lustre, much superior to any other mode. No water required except to moisten the powder.

Directions with each package.

And can be rapidly appreciated by a single trial. The cost of washing for a family of five or six persons will not exceed THREE CENTS.

The manufacturers of this powder are aware that many useless compounds have been introduced to the public which have rotted the cloth, or failed in removing the dirt, but knowing the intrinsic excellence of this article, they confidently proclaim it as being adapted to meet a demand which has long existed, and which has heretofore remained unsupplied. Manufactured by

HOWE & STEVENS,
260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by Grocers and Dealers everywhere.
sept29—3m

SILVERINE

FOR

Instantaneously Silver Plating

ARTICLES OF

Brass, Copper, German Silver, &c.

Restoring the Plating where worn off; and for Cleaning and Polishing

SILVER & SILVER PLATED WARE.

This most useful invention of the age is a preparation of *pure silver,* and contains no mercury, acid, or other materials injurious to metals or the hands. It is a complete electro-plating battery in a bottle. Brice 50 cents per bottle. For sale by Druggists and Variety Stores.

HOWE & STEVENS,

MANUFACTURERS, BOSTON, MASS.
sept29—3m

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IN ALL STYLES, at LESS than Boston prices.

SPARROW HORTON,
feb24—1y Woburn Bookstore.

Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,

Immediately.

Apply at P. TEARE'S.
oct13—tf

HEALTH AND WEALTH!

Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

SECOND,—By spending less than you earn, and

THIRD,—By making a memorandum for

Flour, Grain,

AND

GROCERIES,

AND SENDING IT TO

ELLIS'

RAIL ROAD STORE,

where the best quality of goods are kept —and at the lowest cash prices.

sept8

The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two

HARRISON'S PERISTALIC LOZENGES

regularly every night, you will get rid of COSTIVENESS, which is the chief cause of PILES, either bleeding or blind. We want every person to try our Lozenges, and they will thank us for calling their attention to them. One after dinner or supper banishes every form of Indigestion. Two move the bowels once only, and never gripe, or require increase of dose, thus differing from all PILLS.

For HABITUAL CONSTIPATION they excel every other remedy.

J. S. HARRISON & CO., Proprietors,

No. 1 Tremont Temple, Boston.

Sold everywhere, or will be mailed on inclosing 60 cents. oct 13—1y

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DR. C. T. LANG,

Surgeon Dentist,

Cor. Winn and Pleasant Sts.

Woburn Centre. Mass.



—Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

SULPHURIC ETHER,

Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain.* Charges moderate.

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10, aug 11 BOSTON.

J. M. THRESHER,

DENTIST

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class,* and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party. J. M. T.

Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

JOHN C. OSGOOD,

DEALER IN

Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,

No. 33 Winter St., Boston.

The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the

Cheapest Market Prices.

JOHN C. OSGOOD.
oct20—3m

HORACE COLLAMORE
DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY,
OFFICE:—4 WADE'S BLOCK,
Woburn Centre.

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,

AND

UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

21 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct 27—3m

G. LAMKIN,

DEALER IN

Boots and Shoes,

No. 10 Tremont Row,

BOSTON.

Established in 1849.

Jobbing & Retail.

EMBRACING ONE OF THE LARGEST AND MOST VARIED STOCKS IN BOSTON.

EVERY VARIETY AND STYLE OF

Ladies', Gents', Misses & Children's Bo ts and Shoes,

☞ OF THE BEST MANUFACTURE. ☜

Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

G. LAMKIN,
NO. 10 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON.
oct27—3m

LEARNARD & HARTLEY.

CARPETINGS,
OIL CLOTHS,
AND
WINDOW SHADES,
AT THE
OLD STAND,
136 Hanover and 78 & 80 Union Sts.,
oct20 :3m BOSTON.

A. B. COFFIN,
ATTORNEY and COUNSELLOR at LAW
No. 4 NILES BLOCK, BOSTON
Entrance from Court Square and 33 School St.

PROF. FRANKS & SONS,
OCULISTS AND OPTICIANS,



Office 284 Washington st., Boston.
(up stairs).

Caution—I never had in my employment, or ever will have, any connnection with any pedlers of Spectacles, or travelling Eye doctors. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of cure, by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. Jan20—1y

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ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt. for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.
feb24—1y

Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause,* whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low.* The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. Over SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.
oct 6—3m

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.
feb3—1y

Puff Boxes,

IN DIFFERENT STYLES,

CAN BE FOUND

AT

Grosvenor & Co.'s

DRUG STORE.

NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

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On MAIN STREET,

WOBURN CENTER,

First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,

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POULTRY,

DRIED & SMOKED MEATS

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HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,

of the very best quality.

GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, as I he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

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Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.

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NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	199,171.74
Assets,	$699,171.74

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$75,000 Worth

—OF—

BOYS' AND YOUTHS'

CLOTHING

AT THE

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A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

—OF—

OVERCOATS

—AT—

Low Rates.

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dec 1—1m

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SEWING MACHINES,

STANDARD SEWING MACHINES FOR FAMILY USE.

MRS. L. M. DALTON,

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A Stock of Machines constantly on hand.

These machines are acknowledged to be the best, for family work, now in the market, and are what is claimed for them, AN IMPROVEMENT ON DOUBLE THREAD MACHINES.

Mrs. D. will keep constantly on hand an assortment of these machines, from which purchasers can select.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

oct13—tf

DENTAL NOTICE.

Limitation Four Months.

DR. S. STOCKING, Dental Surgeon, No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON, in consideration of the unusual dullness of the present season, proposes to his old patients and others needing dental operations, a reduction of his fees to the old standard before the war, except where Gold or Platina Plate is used. This liberal arrangement for the next four months, will bring the price of sealing and filling teeth within the reach of all, so that those who can raise the small sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents, can have in return a full set of teeth on rubber, with false gums, that will vie with Nature herself for beauty, adaptation and usefulness. dec 1

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter Co.

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

GENERAL MANAGER,

154 Tremont Street,

BOSTON.

J. K. SIMPSON, Constructing Engineer,

246 West 35th Street,

NEW YORK.

dec. 1

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the style of F. C. TAYLOR & CO., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. MR. HENCHMAN is alone authorized to settle accounts for and against the late firm.

F. C. TAYLOR,
C. T. HENCHMAN.

Woburn, Nov. 28, 1866.

The undersigned will continue the grain business at the old stand of F. C. TAYLOR & CO., first door south of the Central House, where we shall ever be happy to see the old patrons of the store, and by using the greatest care in selecting our stock, and offering it at the lowest prices, shall hope to merit the patronage of the public generally.

C. T. HENCHMAN & CO.

Woburn, Dec. 1.—1m

STRANGE BUT TRUE.

Every young lady and gentleman in the United States can hear something very much to their advantage by return mail (free of charge,) by addressing the undersigned. Those having fears of being humbugged will oblige by not noticing this card. All others will please address their obedient servant,

THOS. F. CHAPMAN,
dec30—1y 831 Broadway, New York.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

JOHN L. PARKER, Agent,

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OFFICE, KELLEY'S BUILDING, MAIN STREET.

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SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,

PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,

Woburn, Mass.

Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,

IN WOBURN,

AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.

Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,

Physician & Surgeon,

PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,

1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,

(The same house he occupied in 1844.)

Office hours from 7 to 9, A. M., and from 1 to 2, P. M.

Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

GEORGE O. DALTON, M. D.

OFFICE:

No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.

Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,

WOBURN CENTER,

F. L. GERALD,

VETERINARY SURGEON,

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$90 A MONTH!—AGENTS wanted for *six entirely new articles,* just out. Address O. T. CAREY, City Building, Biddeford, Maine. dec30—1y

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OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
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Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH

Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.

Orders received for

Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,

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☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.
aug27—6m

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Opposite Old South Church, Boston.

THIS is the season to make tight your Doors and Windows before the approach of Winter.

Exclude Cold, Wind, Rain, Snow, Dust, Noise and Odor from your dwellings, and save the cost in fuel alone in *one Winter.*

Also, PATENT ALARM CASH DRAWERS, (to ring thirty different changes), for the prevention of robbery.

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Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

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oct6—3m

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FIGS

IN DWARF PACKAGES.

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50 & 51 Chatham Street.....Boston.

J. F. CONANT, F. F. CONANT, H. GREEN.
oct 27—3m

HAND-KNIT SHAWLS

—AT—

A GREAT SACRIFICE!!

JOHN HARRINGTON & CO.

Having bought the entire stock of a well known Manufacturer of

HAND-KNIT SHAWLS,

—AT—

A GREAT DISCOUNT!!!

will give their retail customers the benefit of the purchase.

We shall offer on MONDAY, Nov. 19,

550 Shawls at $4.00—former price $6.00.
150 " at $4.50— " " $6.50.

The selection embraces many new styles, and the goods have all been made this season.

John Harrington & Co.,

Tremont Row, Boston.

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IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.

The celebrated DR. DOW continues to devote his entire time to the treatment of all diseases incident to the female system. An experience of twenty-three years enables him to guarantee speedy and permanent relief in the *worst cases of Suppression* and *all other Menstrual Derangements,* from whatever cause. All letters for advice must contain $1. Office, No. 9 Endicott street Boston.

N. B.—Board furnished to those who wish to remain under treatment.

Boston, June 30—1y

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A gentleman who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the receipt and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing JOHN B. OGDEN,

dec30—1y No. 13 Chambers St., New York.

Middlesex Journal.

Devoted to the Local Interests of Woburn, Winchester, Stoneham, Reading, North & South Reading, Wilmington, Burlington and Lexington.

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The Season of Storms.

The blasts of autumn and the chill storms of early winter are apt to make sad inroads upon the constitutions of the feeble. In old times at the commencement of every season it was the fashion to take a strong cathartic as a safeguard against a change of temperature. It was a worse than senseless practice. The people of our day understand the matter better. Instead of depleting the system they reinforce it. In the method they adopt they exhibit a wise discrimination. Instead of resorting to the vitiated stimulants of commerce, or any of the compounds derived from them, they put their faith in the only absolutely pure invigorant procurable in the market—HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. Their faith is well founded. Never has any tonic medicine been prepared with such scrupulous precission and conscientious care. It is a vegetable compound of which every ingredient is sound, wholesome, and *medicinal* in the true sense of the word. Now we have three prominent national complaints. One-half of the adult population of the United States suffer more or less, either from disease of the stomach, derangements of the liver, or affections of the kidneys. In no other land under Heaven are those maladies so general as in this country, and HOSTETTER'S BITTERS is a specific for them all, unless organic in their origin, and, therefore, beyond cure. And let those who are fortunate enough to be exempt from them at present understand one great fact, viz: that an occasional use of this vitalizing tonic will as certainly prevent them as the sun will prevent the earth from freezing where its genial beams descend.—*Communicated.* nov 24—1m

INVASION!

Do you wish to have your hair cauterised from the scalp? No. Then beware of the new brood of Vitriolic and Caustic Dyes got up by nostrum-mongers, who bear the same relation to the responsible Chemist that

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bear to honest merchantmen. Remember that the experience of years, and the very highest scientific endorsements, gurantee the superiority of

CRISTADORO'S HAIR DYE

over every other in use. It is purely vegetable, infallible and instantaneous. Manufactured by J. CRISTADORO, 6 Astor House, New York. Sold by all Druggists. Applied by all Hair Dressers.

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BEST STRENGTHENING PLASTER IN THE WORLD.

ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS resolve and assauge pain by calling forth the acrid humors from parts internal to the skin and general circulation—thus, in many cases, positively evaporating the disease. SAMES LULL, M. D.

There is nothing equal, in the way of a plaster, to the Porous Plaster of Mr. ALLCOCK. Everything is pleasant about them. They are the plaster of the day, and a fit type of our present advancement in science and art. In Asthma, Cough, Kidney Affections, Gout, Rheumatism, and local deep-seated pains, they afford permanent relief.

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From a personal knowledge of these plasters, we can state that they are decidedly preferable to any other in use. Wherever relief is to be obtained by the use of a plaster, we should recommend them.

A. INGRAHAM, M. D., Editor *New York Mentor.*

Agency, Brandreth House, New York.

Sold by all Druggists. dec 1—1m

DR. P. MEREDITH, Dentist, office No. 132 West Sixth Street, states as follows:

CINCINNATI, October 1, 1863.

MESSRS. J. N. HARRIS & CO.—Gents.—About one year ago I took a cold which settled on my lungs. A violent cough was the consequence, which increased with severity. I expectorated large quantities of phlegm and matter. During the last winter I became so much reduced that I was confined to my bed. The disease was attended with cold chills and night-sweats. A diarrhœa set in. My friends thought I was in the last stages of Consumption, and could not possibly get well. I was recommended to try

ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM.

The formula was shown to me, which induced me to give it a trial, and I will only add that my cough is entirely cured, and I am now able to attend to my business as usual. Yours respectfully,

P. MEREDITH.

Sold by GROSVENOR & CO.
And by all dealers in Family Medicines.
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BUCHU!

Is sold by all Apothecaries, everywhere, for only ONE DOLLAR. It is a *certain cure* for

DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS, GRAVEL, RHEUMATISM, GOUT, DROPSY, FEMALE DISORDERS, AND GENERAL DEBILITY.

arising from excesses of any kind. Read the following TESTIMONY OF A CITY MISSIONARY:—

CHARLESTOWN, MASS. Nov. 23d, 1865.

Messrs. BURLEIGH & ROGERS, Boston, Mass.:

I feel it a duty I owe to you, and to such of the community as are suffering as I have suffered, to make known through the medium of your advertisements the CURE that, through the blessing of God, you have wrought upon me by using SMONANDER'S BUCHU. I had *suffered over one year* with *Kidney Disease* so bad I *could hardly walk.* I took four bottles of *Smolander's Buchu,* and it *cured me.*

WILLIAM M. MELLEN, City Missionary.

ALL APOTHECARIES SELL THIS VALUABLE PREPARATION, AND ASK ONLY ONE DOLLAR FOR IT. TRY IT.

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nov 10

CHOLERA!

MR. PERRY DAVIS—SIR: The benefits I have received from the use of your invaluable remedy, the Pain Killer, induces me to pen a word in its praise. Experience has convince me that for Headache, Indigestion, Pain in the Stomach, or any other part of the system, severe Chills, Weariness, common Colds, Hoarseness, CHOLERA, CHOLERA MORBUS, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Toothache, etc., THERE IS NOTHING BETTER THAN THE PAIN KILLER. I have this hour recovered from a severe attack of the Sick Headache, by using two teaspoonfulls, taken at thirty minutes intervals, in a wine glass full of hot water. I am confident that, through the blessing of God, it saved me from the cholera during the summer of 1843. Travelling amid heat, dust, toil, change of diet, and constant exposure to an infected atmosphere, my system was daily predisposed to dysentery attacks, accompanied with pain, for which the Pain Killer was a sovereign remedy, one teaspoonfull curing the worst case in an hour, or, at the most half a day! I have heard of many cases of Dysentery being cured by its use. Put in the teeth, it will stop the toothache. Gratitude, and a desire for its general use, has drawn from me this unsolicited testimonial in its favor.

D. T. TAYLOR, JR., Minister of the Gospel.

dec 1—1m

"*Do Not Delay,*"

BUT get your *Property Insured* before it is TOO LATE, in a *Good Stock or Mutual* Fire Insurance Company. SPARROW HORTON,

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Gloves & Mittens.

GENT'S BEAVER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

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LADIES' OTTER TRIMMED KID GLOVES.

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MENS' HEAVY PLYMOUTH BUCK GLOVES.

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With a good assortment of LOW PRICED

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A. WOOD.

NO. II WADE'S BLOCK.

Woburn, Nov. 24th, 1866. 2m

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

Fancy Soaps,

SUCH AS

Honey,
Glycerine,
Almond,
Musk,
Aromatic Vegetable,

&c., &c., at

GROSVENOR & CO.'S

From the late Fire!

G. R. GAGE & CO.,

HAVE just received a lot of Goods suitable for Overcoats and Business Suits, saved from the late fire in Franklin street, Boston, and they are now prepared to manufacture Garments from them at a reduction of more than fifty per cent. on former prices. They are in no way inferior to higher priced Goods, having only been slightly damped. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those who have not been able to purchase an Overcoat at the higher prices. nov24: tf

HUNNEWELL'S CONSUMPTIVE *REMEDY.*

By the most careful comparison of this distressing complaint, with the chances of relief, or a *permanent cure,* I am satisfied that the above named preparation which has been fully tested in detail with the various phases of what are called

CONSUMPTION,

Or, Chronic Nervous Cough,

That it is not only perfectly adapted, but that the complaint has at last found a CONQUEROR. I can only assure such that cases can be referred to, where they were *declared incurable,* which have all the promises of a long life as ever, and with confidence to use it, or correspond with me.

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oct20—3m

THE OLD-BOOK-KEEPER.

BY GEORGE COOPER.

It was an ancient book-keeper,
And he was tall and slim;
Though his face was mild he rarely smiled,
His clothes were dark and prim:
And everything about his desk
He kept exceeding trim.

He always hung his hat and coat
Upon the self-same hooks,
And laid his rulers, pens and ink
In their respective nooks,
And the only exercise he had
Was footing up his books.

Each day, upon the self-same hour,
He took his lofty seat
And bent his body and his mind
His labors to complete;
And blots were neither on his fame
Nor on his ledger sheet.

The music of his pen was heard
From morn till even-tide;
Up columns vast his eyes were cast,
Then down again with pride:
Quite pleased was he though he saw his work
Increased and multiplied.

The cash that o'er his fingers came
Each day was something grand;
And yet no scheme to bear it off
By him was ever planned;
Although you saw with half an eye
That he wrote a "sloping" hand.

He had no wife, he made no friends,
His boys and cares were few;
And his dearest hope from day to day
Was kept to his balance true;
A good world this, if every man
The latter thing would do.

He never sighed when little ills
His way of life would cross—
And o'er the errors of his youth
He showed no vain remorse;
But he sat down all that came along
To profit or to loss.

One day the creditor of all
Dropped in for his amount:
He found the old man at his post,
Though he ran nature's fount:
The books were closed, and he was borne
Up to his last account.

BARS IN THE LANE.

After the milking was over
Annie would follow the cows
Half a mile, down to the clover,
And turn them in to browse.

Neat little figure is Annie,
Handling the bars in the lane,
Letting them down ever so many
Just in the sunlight's wane.

Wild roses blooming beside her
Match not her cheeks' lovely red;
And the leaves, trying to hide her,
Dance at her musical tread.

Witching curls peep from her bonnet—
Peep like bright birds from their nest!
And her heart—oh, to have won it!—
Beats with a gallant unrest.

Lips may be humming a ditty,
And faces may show unconcern;
But secrets there are—what a pity
That some are so easy to learn!

Now while the robins are nesting,
Why does she wait in the lane?
Though, if while annie is resting,
No one, of course, could complain.

Lights in the farm-house are gleaming,
And bars must be lain in their place,
But little Annie stands dreaming,
A blush on her beautiful face.

Is it late? Not that she cares now;
Ah! merry eyes, mild and brown,
Could you not tell why she wears now
Just the least mite of a frown?

Over the path by the hill-side
Some one would wander by night;
Some one who came from the mill-side,
Lured by two eyes that are bright.

Meadow and valley grow stiller
Under the earlier stars;
Would it be strange if the miller
Help Annie to put up the bars?

GEORGE COOPER.

OUR DEAD.

Grief cannot win them back;
And yet with frequent tears
We bring to mind their cherished forms,
With thoughts of other years,
With love that neither death nor change
Hath power to sever or estrange.

We cannot blot them out
From memory's written page;
We cannot count them strangers, but
As birds in prison cage,
We beat against the iron bar
That keeps from those friends afar.

Oblivion may not hang
Its curtain o'er their grave,
There is no water we can sip
Like Lethe's lulling wave;
But fond affection's moaning wail
Breaks from us like the Autumn gale.

Ye are not dead to us;
But as bright stars are seen
We hold that ye are ever near,
Though death invades between,
Like a thin cloud that veils from sight
The countless spangles of the night.

A DUEL OR A WEDDING.

BY N. P. DALING.

I am an ardent admirer of female beauty. I ought to have been an artist or a sculptor, but I am neither. I have thought some of running an ambrotype gallery—one of those kind, you know, where they run from town, to town, stopping on a vacant lot or on the common for a week or two, to transfer the faces of the town's people to glass; but I gave up that idea at last, for the sole reason that I am not of a roving disposition. I want to settle in one spot, and that spot I did settle in was just at the corner of Crown and Morton streets, in W.——

I was book-keeper for Brown & Co., wholesale dealers in hides and tallow. Henry Bowers, a young man of very lively disposition, and also an admirer of female beauty, was employed in the same office. We boarded and roomed together at the corner of Crown and Morton.

One night Henry and I attended one of the lyceum lectures. I think it was Mr. Beecher that delivered the lecture. But whether it was or not, is does not matter, for I do not intend to speak of the lecture, but of a certain young lady I saw there.

We occupied seats very near the stage we came early. There were very few in the hall at the time, but the seat directly in front was filled with ladies. I believe there was one gentleman, though I did not take much notice of him.

We had hardly been in the hall five minutes, before my attention was fixed upon one of the ladies upon the front seat. She was a little to the right of me, but as she was talking very earnestly with the lady next to her, her face was turned towards us; and, susceptible as I am, I could not but be impressed with the beauty of it.

Bowers noticed her too, and punched me in the ribs, to attract my attention.

"A little out of the common order, eh, McDougal?" he whispered.

"Lovely, I think. Do you know her?"

And just then the organ began to blow; and Bowers, who is also a lover of music as well as of beauty, turned his attention to the organ, which, by the way, is always played an hour before the lecture commences, for you see the people of W have got a great organ lately, and they can't let it rest whenever they have a opportunity to display its powers.

But I couldn't withdraw my gaze from the beautiful young lady before me. She had golden hair, and her bluest of blue eyes swam full of love and sweetness. Her nose was small and straight, and she had just the prettiest dimple among the blushes on either cheek. And then, such a mouth! what red, ripe lips! teeth of pearl, flashing between the roses. Her forehead was high and broad, and her neck, I saw, as the fur cap dropped low on her shoulders, was white as alabaster, and smooth as polished marble. Her form was trim and slight not too tall, but just the opposite of short and dumpy. Really she was a model for a painter. And if I had only been an artist, photographer, ambrotypist, or house painter, I certainly should have transferred that beautiful face and form to canvas, paper, glass or wood. As it was, when the lecture was concluded, which I am sorry to say I don't remember anything about, I went home leaning on the arm of Bowers, madly in love with—well I dont know who.

A month passed away without my seeing anything of the beautiful stranger. But about that time I received an invitation to visit my friend Mrs Segard in M. She is a widow of forty, and is the mother of a certain Miss Segard, familiarly called Clara. I think that Mrs Segard has tried to bring about a marrage beteen Clara and myself, and I believe I was not much opposed to the match. Clara was a good girl, everybody said, a very pretty brunette, with flashing eyes and hair, but her form was short, thick and dowdyish. I admire a handsome form quite as much as a handsome face. I might have married her—I really think I should, but for a little affair which happened at U——, which I sat down to tell you about.

The morning I started for M——, Bowers accompained me to the depot. While I was buying my ticket, I noticed another gentleman come into the waiting room. My first thought was, that it was my shadow that I saw before me. He was about my height, had a light complexion like mine, had eyes of a grizzly gray, and one of them turned in, just like mine. He had a long, thick, snub nose, covered with freckles, an exact copy of mine, his mouth was large, and his front teeth were filled, just like mine. He wore a long, gray overcoat, which I am sure was manufactured at the Adriatic, and I am almost positive it was made from the same piece mine was. He had on a tall silk hat, tipped upon one side of his sandy locks, and so did I; and furthermore, he carried in his hand a small carpet-bag, with a tag marked "J. McD." tied to the straps.

I looked at him, and he returned the compliment, and Bowers examined him at a distance with an opera glass. At last the stranger advanced across the room, bowed, and stopped directly in front of me.

"Friend," said he, with some hesitation evidently bewilderd, "did your mother ever have twins?"

"No, I never heard that she did," I replied with a smile.

"Well, mine never did that I heard of," and he put his hand upon my coat sleeve, and began to examine the cloth.

"I say, sir," continued the stranger, looking down to the carpet-bag that I held, and examining the tag, "are you John McDolan, or am I?"

"My name is McDougal," I replied, smiling, as I heard a gentleman remark to his neighbor, "Twins, of course. What a resemblance?"

"Well, Mr. McDougal, I hope you are an honest man, for you see, if you should happen to rob a bank, forge a note, pick a pocket, or cut somebody's juglar, I might have to suffer, perhaps swing for it."

"I can give good reference as to my character," I answered.

"Yes, that's very good. But, Mr. McDougal, which way are you going?"

"Down. I have bought my ticket."

"Then I am going up. I don't think we'd best travel together. There's the train starting now. Good bye, Mr. McDougal, I wish you success. And for my sake don't spoil your character."

Mr McDolon shook my hand, and hurried away.

The train for U—— started five minutes after.

"Don't get married this time down," said Bowers, as he shook my hand at parting.

"No never fear that, just yet," I answered, closing the window.

To get to M——, which, by the way is a rather out of the way place, a small one horse town, one tavern, two churches and a poor-house, I had to leave the cars at U——, and then take a private conveyance to M——, five miles distant, I could have gone by stage, but that only leaves U—— once a day, at five o'clock in the morning.

So when the cars stopped at U——, I took my carpet-bag in my hand, and got out upon the platform.

There was quite a large number of people at the station, but I took no notice of any of them, except a tall, brawny man, in a brown overcoat and slouched hat, who started for me as soon as I stepped off the cars.

I stopped and looked at him. He frowned, and seemed to restrain himself from some violent action. A decidedly ugly customer he was, in truth; but as he was a perfect stranger to me, I really couldn't tell what to make of him. Besides, he was backed by a short, red-faced, black-bearded, corpulent gentleman, who looked as fierce as a tiger.

I was about to move away, when the slouched hat, looked down at the tag on my carpet-bag, started, and coming forward, laid his hand heavily on my shoulder.

"You're a villain!"

"Sir?"

"I repeat it—you're a villain!"

"A miserable scamp!" said the corpulent gentleman, coming forward and scowling more fiercely than ever.

Now I felt that I was a match for the latter but as to the other one, I didn't doubt but what he might work me up into shoe-threads in less than three minutes.—So, being a cautious man, I thought it best to keep my angry passions down.

"Will you explain yourselves, gentlemen?" I asked, trying to smile.

"Yes, I will," answered the big one, putting great emphasis on the "will."

"Certainly," growled the corpulent gentleman, with a grim smile.

"Come this way, you rascal," said the tall one, drawing me along with him.

His companion followed us out back of the station, where we were out of sight and hearing of the rest of U——.

"Now," said the tall gentleman, turning and confronting me, "I'll introduce myself. I am Captain Augustus Boynton, This gentleman is my father, John Boynton. Do you know us now?"

"Well, really," I replied, wondering in my own mind what the duce was coming; "really I don't know anything more about you than what you've just told."

"Hush!" "Twas the captain; and he bent down and hissed in my ear. "I am Carrie Boynton's brother."

"And I am her father," growled John Boynton.

"Ah, really! I want to know!" I could not help smiling, the whole affair seemed so ludicrous. "Give my regards to Carrie."

"Ha! you laugh at us, do you, villain?" cried the captain. "Look 'ere," said he, lowering his voice to a horrid whisper. "Look at these."

I did look; for just then he drew from the pocket of his brown overcoat a handsome case, and opening it, displayed a pair of splendid silver-mounted duelling pistols.

"Take your choice."

A cold tremor ran through my frame. Was I to be murdered? I tried to shout, but I could make no sound. The ludicrous affair was becoming decidedly serious.—Must I fight a duel? I'd never fired a pistol in my life but just once, and then I tried to kill a cat, but failed with the pistol, and had to dash her brains out against a stone wall.

"Choose quick," urged the captain.

"Sir," said I, in a tremulous voice while the cold drops of perspiration stoood out upon my brow, "there mu-must be so-some mis-mistake. I-I am not the man."

"Pshaw!" answered the captain, looking down at my carpet-bag, which I had dropped upon the ground, "You are John McDolan of W——."

"No sir. I am James McDougal," I replied with alacrity, for I now saw who I was taken for.

"McDougal be hanged!" growled the captain, "To be sure I never saw you before, but I've seen your photograph a hundred times. You remember the one you gave to Carrie?"

"No sir; I don't know Carrie. I'm no McDolan at all. I'm McDougal of W—, I'm book-keeper for Brown & Co., dealers in hides and tallow. My father was Norton McDougal, my mother was Mary McDougal, my grandfather was—"

"Confound your grandfather! Either marry my sister, as you promised to do a month ago, or take one of these pistols and—"

"Oh! help!"

"Dry up, you whelp," and the captain clapped his great broad hand over my mouth.

"Choose quick, youngster," said the elder Boynton.

"I won't fight," I cried, throwing myself on the ground.

"Then marry my sister, or we'll drag you through the mill pond."

It was useless for me to remonstrate. I could not convince the enraged father and son that I was not the villian McDolan. I dared not cry for help.

What should I do? Marry a woman whom I never saw before, whom I knew nothing abont? I had little time to consider. Life was sweet to me, a ducking was disagreeable, and, as to a duel, I should have been a dead man at the first shot.

"Choose," said the captain, giving me a kick with his boot.

"I'll I'll mar-marry her."

"All right. Get up."

And the smiled grimly as he returned the pistols to the case, the case to the pocket.

The elder Mr. Boynton went after the cariage; but before I had ceased to tremble he returned.

The captain helped me in; and then seated between the chivalric father and son, I rode away. There were plenty of people in the street; but I was warned not to shout, if I knew what was healthy for me.

We rode at a smart trot for about two miles, I should think, and then the captain drew rein before a large two-story white house, that stood by the road surrounded by a high white fence. There was a gravel walk up to the front door, and several large cherry trees stood in the front yard.

"Here we are," said the captain, getting down and motioning me to follow.

The door opened just as we reached it, and Venus, Hebe, Queen Victoria and Gen. Grant! who should fall into my arms but the identical young lady who had made such a strong impression on my heart the night of the lecture in W—.

"O, John! I knew you would be true," she cried; and the captain snickered as he lead the way into the parlor.

But once there I succeeded in convincing Miss Boynton that I was not McDolan. Her father apologized, and so did the captain; and the upshot of all was, that I consented to stop over night with them, and I am happy to state that I passed a very pleasant evening indeed.

I learned, too, that John McDolon, for whom I had been taken, was a gentleman of wealth and leisure, with only one fault, and that was promising to marry every pretty woman that he became acquainted with.

Then I told my story, and both Mr. Boynton and the captain seemed pleased, and so did Carrie, especially when I offered to stand in McDolan's shoes.

And—well my dear reader, I did about a month afterwards. We had a great wedding, and Clara Segard was one of the bridesmaids and Henry Bowers was groomsman. And I am very well satisfied that McDolan took the up train instead of the down.

MR. EDITOR:—

Speaking of guns, reminds me of an amusing incident that took place in the town of B—, about the time of the first introduction of Coal as fuel.

Two worthy yeomen, while on their way from Boston, where for years they had taken wood to market, espied in the road two lumps of coal, dropped by a teamster. They having a confused idea of the nature of the black lump, took it home, determined to say nothing about it, but try it privately. In the morning early, Mr. M——put on a big forestick, and placed the coal on it, and then took a match in the tongs, and went behind the jamb of the fire place and tried to light a fire—until his patience was all worn out, and he then slyly thrust it out of doors. His neighbor, Mr. Doosenberry, was not quite as verdant. He knew the stuff would not blow up like powder. After arranging it on the wood, he took some paper and shavings, and vainly endeavored to set the posky stuff a fire. He called John to take the black thing out doors, and put on the wall where it belonged, and bring in an armful of dry oak wood.

Since that time there has been some progress made in burning coal, and both of those families sit before the glowing grate or stove, with as much apparent satisfaction as the city folks.

AULD LANG SYNE.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

The London *News* urges the necessity for changing the international law in regard to captures at sea. Had there been inserted in the treaty of Paris a declaration to the effect that "arming and commissioning a belligerent vessel at sea, or in a neutral port, is and remains abolished," then England at the present moment would not be saddled with claims for an enormous amount, incurred not so much because the Alabama was allowed to escape, as because her escape and subsequent commissioning were held to give her the full rights of a ship of war. It was in consequence of this construction of law that the commercial marine of the United States was sold to a neutral flag.

Such, too (says the London News), will be the necessary fate of our own five million tons of merchant shipping the moment a war is declared against us by any naval power. The only possible method by which we can guard against this result is a previous acceptance of the principle of the immunity of trading vessels from capture by a belligerent. Such a doctrine does not, of course, apply to the case where a formal blockade is established by an adequate force, and where, consequently, the prevention of ingress or egress may be enforced under penalty of confiscation. This case is identical with that of the blockade of a town by land, when an attempt to introduce provisions or to send away goods would be punished with capture. But save in such instances belligerents now respect private property by land, and it is hard to see why the rule should not be as honorably observed at sea, if it were once formally laid down and accepted by national consent in time of peace. It was approved by Napoleon I., it was urged by the Americans at the time of the Treaty of Paris, it has been advocated by many great jurists, and even before now by English statesmen, among the most recent of whom may be mentioned Lord Palmerston and Sir Stafford Northcote. No nation has such an interest as we have to adopt and recommend it. Our naval supremacy may show itself in piched battles, or in blockading long lines of coast, but our merchant navy is a prey to the tiniest gunboat of the feeblest State. We have more than any nation to lose by preserving the old rules under the new conditions—more than any nation to gain by accepting a modification which others have already offered. We must trust that the commission which is to consider the present state of international law will be sufficiently well advised in respect of naval practices to see the necessity and recommend the speedy adoption of the change which our altered circumstances demand.

Moses esteemed the reproach of Christ. David wished to be a doorkeeper in the house of God. The least grace is infinitely precious.

WATER THAT WILL NOT DROWN.

Travellers, writes a correspondent, have mentioned with astonishment the peculiar buoyancy of water of Great Salt Lake, and it is truly surprising. No danger of shipwreck need ever cross the mind of those who navigate the lake, for it would be simply impossible to sink if thrown overboard.

With my hands clasped together under my head, and my feet crossed, I floated on the very surface of the lake with at least one third of my body above the water. Upon a warm summer's day there would not be the slightest difficulty in going to sleep upon the lake, and allowing yourself to be blown about as the wind permitted; only one would need an umbrella to keep off the rays of the sun.

It has been stated that three buckets of this water will yield one bucket of solid salt, but, inasmuch as water will not hold above twenty-five per cent of saline matter in solution, and if more added it is instantly deposited upon the bottom, this estimate is, of course, too large. On inquiring of the Mormons engaged in procuring salt, they unanimously stated that for every five buckets of water they obtained one bucket of salt, which gives the proportion as no less than twenty per cent. No visitor to the lake should omit the bath; the sensation in the water is most luxurious, and leads one to think himself floating in the air. On the way back to the city it will be as well for the bather to stop at the superb suphur baths just outside the town, and remove the saline incrustations which have formed upon him, by a plunge into the fine swimming bath, whose only objection is its peculiar odor and its great heat, which requires a large admixture of cold water.

IMPROVEMENTS IN PARIS.—The mania for improvements in the French capital has become a chronic disease. The heavy loans raised for this purpose and the derangement of industrial pursuits caused by the artificial demand for labor, under the money stimulus, makes necessary additional loans and a perpetuation of the same system, to prevent a collapse. For fifteen years improvements of great magnitude have been fostered by the imperial government and the capital has been well nigh transformed; and yet the call for further expenditures is heard louder than ever. The large masses of workmen who have flocked into Paris from the agricultural districts and other departments of labor, cannot be thrown out of employment without risk of dangerous agitation. It is probably under some such apprehension that M. Persigny a few days ago proposed an immediate loan of 1,000,000,000 francs for the prosecution of public works, apparently unmindful of former appropriations, or the sums expended by communes and departments, and three or four hundred millions disbursed by leading railroad companies. The disease gains strength from what it feeds upon, and to some extent affects the labor system of the whole empire.

They are well kept whom God keeps. "I will keep him day and night," lest any hurt him. Like Job, he will make a hedge about him, to help him; but how far does this hedge extend? It reaches—to his estate—HIS BUSINESS—his dwelling-place—his family—his reputation—his body—his soul—in a word, on "every side" of him. Flee to God, reader, and at once! for there is no God like unto our God.

Though we ought not to serve God for gain, as the motive, we cannot serve God for naught, as to the result. He is a good master, and while his work is honorable and glorious, he deals well with his servants. In keeping his Commandments, there is great reward. "Godliness is profitable unto all things, having the promise of the life that now is, and of that which is to come."

We always value a trifle that is done from pure regard, while we despise the splendid service that aims at the performer's own advantage.

As long as God tries us he is not saying, "Let him alone." He would not thus prune the tree, if he had sentenced it to be cut down. I see what once I did not, and the discovery is painful: but if he was minded to kill me, he would not have showed me such things as these. That be far from him to trifle with my misery. In vain the enemy says, "But thy sins are so numerous and aggravated." So they are; but this is the very reason why I should apply for mercy. Pardon my iniquity, for it is great!

The moment a friend, or even a mere acquaintance, is dead, how surely there starts up before us each instance of unkindness of which we have been guilty towards him. In fact, many and many an act or word which, while he was in life, did not seem to us to be unkind at all, now "bites back" as if it were a serpent, and shows us what it really was. Alas 'twas thus we caused him to suffer who now is dust, and yet then we did not pity or reproach ourselves. There is always a bitterness beyond that of death in the dying of a fellow-creature to whom we have been unjust or unkind.

A daily conversation in heaven is the surest forerunner of a constant abode there. The spirit of God first brings heaven into the soul, and then conducts the soul to heaven.

How long may it take a man to embrace Christ as his Saviour? As long as it takes a drowning man to let go a straw and lay hold of an offered rope.

Saints are not so much afraid of suffering as they are of sinning; in suffering the offence is done to us, but in sinning the offence is done to God.

The Middlesex Journal,

—AND—

WOBURN TOWNSMAN.

WOBURN:

SATURDAY, DEC. 29, 1866.

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E. MARCHANT, Proprietor.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR.—Few stop to contemplate the advantages of holidays in mid-winter in the way of recreation to benefit health and good spirits. The custom is of great antiquity, both as respects days of festivity and the giving of presents. There was the *Saturnalia* of Rome, which represented the peaceful times of the golden age, and abolished for awhile the distinction of ranks, the distance between servants and free men. How easy to transfer this to Christianity, which through the coming of the Son of God, had introduced the true golden age, making all men equal before God. The custom of making presents, (the Strenae), another festival, passed over to Christmas, and the festival of infants with which the saturnalia concluded, where the children were presented with images, became in Christian hands the time for gifts to children. Another festival still more analogous to the Christmas, was that of celebrating the shortest day, the winter solstice; the birth day of the new sun about to return once more towards the earth. Christ, the son of the spiritual world, was compared with that of the material.

Thus Christian influences gradually changed the character of these heathen festivals, adapting them to the changes of religious belief. Whether Christmas, which some suppose should have been in September, as more nearly corresponding with the true time of the Saviour's birth, was altered to meet the period of the saturnalia, which had taken fast hold of the public mind, is not known, but among Christians, the heathen observances were dropped and Christmas, as a day of solemn joy, took their place at the closing of the year, and the New Year's day became a common holiday, irrespective of any religious observance.

Passing through Washington, Tremont, and other streets in Boston, the placards announcing that Christmas and New Year's gifts were on sale, and the display of many of them at the shop windows, in connection with the newspaper advertisements of the same, manifested that the good old custom of so many years was well kept up, and that the ingenuity of artizans and the enterprise of shop-keepers in this department, was increasing from year to year.

Who can estimate the amount of happiness united with these two winter holidays? Over the whole face of society is diffused sunshine. The shop-keepers have their faces wreathed with smiles, and the children anticipating presents are looking into all the newspapers for advertisements of gifts, and gazing into all the shop windows, and on the counters and shelves, with wonder and delight at the great variety of beautiful and tasteful toys displayed to attract purchasers.

NEW YEAR'S DAY yet remains, and on that auspicious day a new installment of gifts is to be made, to those who have already received, and to those who were passed by.

We would urge upon every one, rich or poor, to look out for the children; whose eager eyes and hoping hearts will grow dim and heavy, if no present is awarded. It does not need rich and costly presents to make children happy. We have heard the most joyous shouts in the darkness of the early morning, on finding pop-corn, a few pieces of candy, two or three cents, or a five-cent piece, and a small picture book, in the stocking.

We cannnot be children but once, and therefore, let us shed as much sunlight as possible over that period; that sunny memories may preserve for many an after time of joy.

But we are all children, and are pleased to the latest period of life with the salute of "Merry Christmas and Happy New Year," and the sunshine of youth at these festivals is reflected upon those of older years.

All out of doors is cheerless and cold at this season of the year; let us improve our festivals to enliven and make our homes happy with the laughter and surprise of children.

The close of the year has also its solemn and religious affections; and these are made joyful by gratitude and praise to God, who, and not Santa Claus, is the *Giver* of all the gifts of the season.

THE REMAINS OF THE LOYAL DEAD. During the past year the Government has paid great attention to soldiers' graves and cemeteries. Everything that a patriote respect for the dead could suggest has been done. Every grave has been carefully tended, and its occupant's name and rank put at the head as well as on the records of the cemetery. At first this was done on wooden headboards; but desirous to perpetuate the records of its brave soldiery, Government has now determined to make the headboards more lasting, and has constructed them of iron. The whole number of bodies of Union soldiers reported as buried is 341,670, at an expense of $1,141,791 61.

WOBURN LOCALS.

DEATH OF A SOLDIER.—We regret to announce the death of Mr. Duncan McIntosh, who served in the army of the rebellion, in the Harris Guard, from Woburn. He returned home at the close of the war, and has been sick most of the time since, of consumption. He departed this life on Saturday evening last. He was a man of excellent character and greatly esteemed by all who knew him. His funeral took place on Christmas day, from the First Congregational Church, and he was buried with military honors. The Good Templars, of which he was a member, also attended his funeral in a body, and performed services at the tomb. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss.

CHRISTMAS. — During the day the weather was fine, and everything conspired, if we except the streets, which were in a wretched condition, to render the day one of unalloyed pleasure. Those who had not previously secured presents for their children and friends, were out at an early period in the day, making purchases at the stores, most of which were open during the forenoon. Santa Claus had filled the stockings of all the young folks during the previous night, and every little boy and girl had a pocket full of sweet things, besides innumerable toys and picture books, suited to their various capacities.

In the Congregational, the Unitarian, and the Baptist Churches, Christmas Trees were erected, well filled with presents for the children, all of whom received one or more during the evening. The attendance at all the Churches was large, and the utmost good feeling prevailed.

At the Methodist Church, during the afternoon and evening, there was a festival and Christmas Tree, and the young folks enjoyed the occasion with a rare relish.

The Episcopalians held divine service in the evening. The house was decorated for the occasion.

At the Catholic Church services were held in the morning. The house was most tastefully decorated with evergreens, &c.

And now that CHRISTMAS has past, how pleased is Libby with her new doll, and George with his sled, and Jane and Lucy, and Charles and Edward, with their necklaces, handsome picture books, new pocket knives, purses, pretty bonnets and new caps and hats. What a joyful time to find candies, thimbles, silver cups, napkin rings, spoons, rings, buckles, belts, combs, and all the innumerable things which can be pressed into the name of presents, stowed away in the stocking, and growing among the branches of trees.

The venerable Joshua Converse will be *one hundred years old* on the 20th of January next. We trust that measures may be taken by our citizens to celebrate an event so rare and interesting. We think it would be well to have a public recognition of the day by a dinner, to be given in some hall or room large enough to accommodate those who may desire to attend. The price of tickets should be fixed at a sum sufficient to pay all expenses. Mr. Converse is now in the enjoyment of excellent health, and there is no apparent reason why he should not live for years to come. When we last saw him, some two months ago, he was as smart, and as well preserved, as most men at seventy-five. A correspondent, who takes a deep interest in this matter, makes some suggestions, in another portion of this paper, which we trust will commend themselves to public favor.

The Ball given on Friday evening last, by the Woburn Mechanic Phalanx, proved to be, as we predicted it would, a perfect success. It was one of the largest we ever had the pleasure of attending. A marked feature of the evening was the perfect good order which prevailed from first to last. The music was by Hall's Band, which is a sufficient guarantee that it was of the first order. The decorations, by Col. Beals, were tastefully arranged, the windows being ornamented with shields, bearing the honored names of the past commanders, while at either end of the hall was an arch, bearing the name and date of organization of the company. We noticed quite a number of military gentlemen from abroad; among them Brig. Gen. Peirson, of the 2d Brigade; Capt. Kent, of his staff; Quarter Master Ingalls, of the 8th Regt., M. V. M; beside others whose names we did not learn. The floor managers were untiring in their efforts to please, and much credit is due Messrs. J. H. Parker, A. J. Parker, Capt. Luke R. Tidd, Serg't G. F. Smith, and Corp'l Moore, for their efficiency and promptness in the management of the floor. The refreshments were served in the lower hall by Mr. Wetherbee, of the Central House. But of these we cannot speak, from our own knowledge, as the latch strings were out at Col. Grammer's and Capt. Tay's, and the press shared their hospitality. Old Woburn has not seen such another gathering of her fair daughters and brave sons for many a day. Many happy returns, say we.

The steam fire engine was out on Tuesday, and worked with more than usual ability. When the engine will have an opportunity to display its power over the destroying element of fire, is one of those questions which it is hard to answer. We trust we may long be preserved from the destroying element.

The young ladies of Wilmington will hold a festival in the Town Hall, Tuesday evening, Jan. 1, 1867. Useful and fancy articles for New Year's presents, will be for sale. Also, refreshments, ice creams, confectionery, &c. Tableaux will be a special attraction of the evening. Music will be interspersed. The proceeds of the festival will be devoted to the payment of the debt on the church organ. Contributions of money, or articles and refreshments from friends at home and abroad, are earnestly solicited, and may be sent to the Town Hall New Year's day, or to Mrs. M. J. Tolman, President of Ladies' Benevolent Association. Admission, 25 cents: Children, under 12, 15 cents.

Shopping during the holidays, thus far, has been very brisk. Ladies have thronged the streets and crowded the stores, in search of goods suitable for presents. Our store keepers generally never knew trade so brisk before. Those who have advertised liberally, have been literally overrun with customers.

A boy, of about 14 years, known as Jack Bradley, was arrested on Friday, 21st inst., for truancy and stealing, and fined $3.00 and costs of court. We trust this will prove a warning to those boys who are in the habit of absenting themselves from school. Idleness is the prolific mother of vice.

Patrick Foley was arrested on Monday for drunkenness and disturbance of the peace. He was taken before Trial Justice Converse, and fined $3 and costs of court.

John Boyle was also arrested on Monday for drunkenness and assault with a knife on one of his companions. Justice Converse fined him $3 and costs of court.

Mr. George Clair, professor of elocution, late of the Boston Theatre, will give select Readings, in Winchester, on New Year's evening. Those who have not heard Mr. Clair will do well to avail themselves of this opportunity, as we are assured that he has no superior in his profession. See advertisement.

HISTORY OF WOBURN.—Our readers will be glad to learn, through our Burlington correspondent, that Rev. Father Sewall is now writing the last chapter of his History of Woburn, and that it will soon be given to the public.

Those of our readers who enjoy their their cigar, will be glad to learn that a new smoking car will be placed on the Woburn Branch next week.

Harper's Magazine, for January, is already before the public. It is an excellent number. For sale at Horton's Bookstore.

The skating park noticed in our last has become a success, and is now occupied in suitable weather by a large number of young people.

THE WEATHER. — On Thursday a heavy southeasterly storm prevailed, accompanied with rain. Vessels on the coast must have had a hard time of it. In the evening, there was a slight fall of snow. On Friday the wind blew a gale from the westward.

Dr. Lord's Fourth Lecture will be given on Monday evening, Dec. 31st. Subject—Madame de Maintenon.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On Christmas day, Mr. Levi Johnson, aged 83 years, went into a neighbors to make a call, and to all appearance was as well as usual when he left for home. He was afterwards found near his barn, in a speechless condition, and died before a physician could be called. His brother died last March, aged 84 years. Mr. Johnson, we believe, was a resident of Winchester.

Watch-meeting services will be held in the Methodist Church, on Monday evening; commencing at 8 o'clock, with a Prayer Meeting. The Sermon will be given at about 9 o'clock. The services will close at 12.15.

LETTER FROM BURLINGTON.

BURLINGTON, MASS., December 25th, 1866.

To the Editor of the Journal:

This quiet, agricultural hill town is a little moved just now in preparing a New Year's Tree, and filling its branches and twigs with presents for each child connected with the Congregational Sabbath School in this place. In connection there will be brief addresses by friends of the little ones, and singing by the children, while about half of the time will be given to social converse. Such a scene is a novelty in this town, and is anticipated with interest by all classes of our citizens; while the children can hardly wait for the time to arrive. This religious and social re-union will occur on the evening of New Year's, in the Town Hall, in this place.

The towns of Woburn, Winchester, and Burlington, and parts of other towns once composing Woburn, will be pleased to learn that Rev. Father Sewall is writing his last chapter of the history of Woburn, (a work to which he has devoted so many years,) and that it will soon go to press. It will make an octavo of about the size of the history of Medford, by Rev. Charles Brooks. Such a local history will not only be interesting and useful to the inhabitants of the towns treated of, but to the lovers of history at large. It is, also, important to the writers and readers of the history of the United States.

Father Sewall, as he is often known, is now considerably past eighty years; and has preached the gospel for more than fifty years, we believe, and yet he is a regular attendant upon public worship, twice every Sabbath, at the church in this town, that he so much loves, and instructs a Bible Class in addition. He is often present, also, at the Sabbath evening prayer meetings. Where is there another Congregational minister, without a pastoral charge, of his age, who is equally active, and who makes as good a parishoner in the congregation over which he was formerly settled?

It is remarkable to find a town so rural, and so purely agricultural as this, and within twelve miles of a great city. It is composed almost wholly of farms, farm-buildings, and farmers. There is neither lawyer nor physician in town, and but few mechanics and manufacturers; but of agriculturists there are upwards of one hundred.

As a town of hills and vales, it is remarkably healthy, hardly requiring the attention of physicians. And as the people are peaceable, well-disposed farmers, they have but little occasion to consult lawyers.

The scenery is picturesque, and sometimes wild. The views from some of the hills, of many neighboring towns,—of Charlestown and Boston,—of Wachuset, Monadnock, and of several equally high mountains, are rare and fine. And the traveller gains these magnificent views without either climbing observations or hills for the purpose, but while passing through the place by the various highways. There is a lack of pond and water views, but these can readily be obtained by artificial means, and no landscape is perfect without them. F.

THOUSANDS HAVE BEEN CHANGED by the use of the Peruvian Syrup (a protoxide of Iron) from weak, sickly, suffering creatures, to strong, healthy and happy men and women, and invalids cannot reasonably hesitate to give it a trial. For Dyspepsia and Debility it is a specific.

In Boston new buildings are in process of erection at an expense of $2,500,000, and improvements otherwise projected that add several millions to this sum.

Large numbers of unemployed men in Australia have solicited the American consul for free passages to America.

WINCHESTER.

SALE AND TEA PARTY.—The Ladies' Friendly Society, a social and benevolent organization, connected with the Unitarian Society, held a sale of useful and fancy articles, and united with it a festival, on Thursday evening of last week, in Lyceum Hall, which proved a decided success.

The hall was neatly trimmed with evergreen, while upon the platform was a rustic bower with numerous Chinese lanters hanging upon the trees, giving it quite a picturesque appearance. There was also here a miniature lake, upon which plied a small craft, bearing gifts to such as invested in the trips. This part of the decorations was arranged by Mrs. Waterman, who evinced great taste and skill in designing and arranging the same and gave a good deal of labor to it. Back of the platform was a large transparency, illuminated, of the Goddess of Liberty. On each side of the hall were the sale tables, well laden with a great variety of goods, useful and ornamental. On the one side was the table of the older people, and on the other that of the younger portion. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the doors were opened, and the children, in large numbers, were permitted to enjoy themselves. In the evening the hall was early filled with parents and children, and those tending the tables were busily employed.

Gilmore's Band, stationed in the gallery, discoursed most excellent music. The ice-cream went off rapidly. The grabs were too numerous to mention. The Yankee Village was peeped at by curious eyes. Our friend Spurr was busily employed in selling tickets to the supper and ice-cream tables, and occupied a smaller compass than usual for him or could have been agreeable to his feelings.

As soon as the people began to get hungry, they wended their way to the lower hall, where they found ample provision for their bodily wants. Notwithstanding some two hundred partook during the evening, yet the supply remained unexhausted, and no one could fail to be satisfied either with the quantity or quality of the material donated by the ladies of the society.

In one of the lower halls, a magic lantern, with a magnesium light, had been arranged under the direction of Dr. Winsor and Mr. R. M. Copeland, for the entertainment of the young, but from some unexplained cause it did not work well the first part of the evening, but the latter part it did better, although not satisfactorily.

About 10 o'clock the music of the band stimulated some of the young people to "trip the light fantastic toe" in the centre of the hall. The movement became contagious and in a short time a large number were engaged in dancing, which was kept up until the departure of the musicians.

Delegates were present from Woburn, North Woburn and Boston, and the arrangements were in the highest degree satisfactory. A great many articles were sold from the tables, among which we should mention a large fresh cucumber, contributed by E. A. Brackett, which was put up at auction, and, after considerable competition, was knocked off to G. W. Spurr, for $3.00. A wonderful snake was sold for the same amount to Dr. Bartlett. Where so many contributed liberally it would be invidious to make any distinction. We doubt not the ladies will do justice to them. Through the kindness and well known liberality of Mr. Winslow, the Supt. of the Lowell Railroad, a special train was run to Woburn about 11 o'clock, and down to the city about 12 o'clock, the latter carrying the musicians and the friends from the city. At this latter hour the company broke up, feeling satisfied that it was one of the pleasantest gatherings of the kind ever had in this town.

A large number of articles remaining unsold will be disposed of in a way to be hereafter designated.

The total receipts are not as yet definitely known, but will probably be in the vicinity of $500.

RELIGIOUS.—The pastor of the Unitarian Society proposes to preach on Sunday, (to-morrow) a sermon upon the duties and responsibilities devolving upon his people at the present time.

From an unknown source, the Treasurer of the Sunday School connected with this Society, has received the sum of one hundred dollars, to be appropriated to the purchase of new books for the library.

SINGING SCHOOL.—For the better instruction of the children and adults attending the Unitarian Sunday School and Church, the Committee have engaged Mr. Joseph Bird, of Watertown, to perform that service, and Friday afternoon and evening of each week have been assigned to this work.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT AND TREE.—This annual pleasant occasion was more than usually attractive this year, and the performers upon the piano did themselves great credit. The singing was very well done. Mr. Johnson gave great variety to the exercises, so that no one was wearied with them. The weather and walking outside was very bad, and interfered to a great extent with the arrangements of the evening. The pupils of the Mystic School, with their red paper caps, with a gilt band, and those of the Wyman School, with blue ones, made a pretty appearance. A delegation from the Orphan Aslyum in Boston were present, and contributed in a great measure to the singing part of the programme. Santa Claus was personated by one of the boys in an excellent manner, and through his representatives dispensed his gifts from the tree, which was well loaded. A large number of the parents and friends were present, and could not fail, as they looked upon the happy faces of the children, to feel a reflection of that pleasure in their own breasts.

Christmas is peculiarly the children's festival; and we are glad to see each year more and more attention paid to its observance. We should be glad to see all our churches open on this day, their walls decorated with evergreen, and services held appropriate to the occasion.

Let our hearts on this day be reminded of that great gift to us, and in the joy which it brings, may it open to every generous and noble impulse, and lead us to live worthy of the priceless boon which has been given us, by following the example of the great Teacher whose brith this day commemorates.

LECTURES.—The last of the course of six Historical Lectures, by Rev. Dr. John Lord, was given on Tuesday evening last. Subject—"Queen Elizabeth." Without detracting from the merits of the others, we should say that the first, "Hildebrand," and the last were the most interesting of the course, and the best suited to the popular taste.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—Mr. Horace Hatch has sold the estate on Washington street, owned and occupied by him, to Geo. P. Brown, Esq. EXCELSIOR.

MR. EDITOR,—The Methodist Sabbath School celebrated Christmas in a very pleasant manner. At two o'clock the children assembled in the vestry and spent the afternoon in juvenile plays, singing and partaking of a bountiful collation, provided by their parents. All entered into the enjoyments of the hour with a good degree of zest, and the happy faces, sweet voices, and childish glee, showed plainly that the entertainment was appreciated. In the evening the audience room was opened, having been very tastefully decorated for the occasion, under the direction of Mr. H. Thompson, an officer of the School. We learn from the Superintendent that *after* the publication of the notice in your last, the School voted *not* to charge an admittance fee. At an early hour a large company assembled to enjoy the exercises of the evening, which consisted in appropriate songs, recitations and a Fairy Representation, entitled Faith, Hope and Charity, by four young ladies, who rendered the piece in a very creditable manner. The Festival closed with distributing presents from two heavily laden trees. The School is in a very flourishing condition. **

THE CEMETERY—On Thursday, Dec. 27, the Wyman heirs conveyed to the town of Woburn a clean and clear title to about eight acres of land adjoining the Cemetery, situated in part on Salem st. The money, $3,600, was paid by a Sub. Committee of the Board of Selectmen, and this day the town enjoys a peaceable possession of the aforesaid property. The land has been in the Wyman family ever since 1782.

The Board of Selectmen have also purchased 3 3-4 acres of land adjoining, belonging to Gen. A. Thompson, for $1,400. The undulating surface of the land just purchased by our Town Fathers, for the enlargement of the Cemetery, affords an excellent opportunity for the Committee on Public Grounds to render it one of the most beautiful burial places in the vicinity. Let a small but effective committee be chosen by the town to carry out the intentions of the Legator, Mr. Sewell Flagg, who so kindly remembered the town in the provisions of his will. *

One Hundred Years Old.

MR. EDITOR:—The day is drawing nigh when we shall probably have a centenarian among us, in the person of the venerable JOSHUA CONVERSE, who will be one hundred years old on the 20th of January. On that occasion a public spirited citizen proposes to celebrate the event, by inviting several of the acquaintances and friends of this connecting link of the past with the present, to a re-union at his residence. I should like to ask the citizens of Woburn, through the *Journal*, if the recognition of this event should not be more general, and if it would not be well that a committee be chosen out of the several congregations, without distinction of sect or party, to take the matter in hand. I think I do not overestimate the public opinion, when I say that a hundred persons would esteem it a privilege to join in the congratulations with this relic of antiquity, on his one hundredth birth day. Mr. Converse, at date, is hale and hearty, and, aside from a slight deafness, is in as good condition, physically and mentally, as any octogenarian, *in* or *out* of town.

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Woburn, Dec. 25, 1866.

MR. EDITOR,—You have sufficiently noticed our very pleasant gathering last week. Still, as you kindly offered me the privilege, I can hardly refrain from using a little additional space in your Journal, for expressing more publicly, and if I could, more *emphatically*, the *gratitude* and high gratification which we of the North Church and Society feel towards the Old Church and Society of Woburn, for the generous reception given in their capacious and convenient Vestry to the "Fair and Festival" of our "Ladies' Benevolent Society." It was made a signal *success* in both respects,— as a *Fair* in the "Footing up" of its several departments, and as a *Festival*, in the "Feast of reason, and the flow of soul."

We are *grateful* for the cordial welcome with which we all were greeted, for the unselfish care and labors which so abundantly supplied the tables, so perfectly carried out the "Old Folks' Concert," and so completed all the arrangements: still more for the *liberality*, as unexpected as it is timely, which by a large subscription, entirely relieves us of a long standing debt upon our House of Worship.

Is it not a most happy illustration, added to many preceding, of the *spiritual* attachment which grace creates and nourishes in christian hearts, to one another, and to the cause of our Common Lord?

To some, the harmony and happiness so manifest that evening, recalled past scenes, when we were all *one* people, and almost awakened expectation of their return. It is anticipated that a rail-way may unite us more closely in business, and secular prosperity; will it not be by such interchanges of our *hearts* in sympathy and co-operation for higher ends, that our best social and religious interests are to be promoted?

As an affectionate daughter is proud of the prosperity and noble benefactions of the *mother* Church, she may be also a little jealous lest any should forget the sacred relationship, which she will strive to preserve by keeping herself worthy of it.

Please therefore, call us by our true *name*—"*North Church* of Woburn," till we have a *town* of North Woburn.

Resp'y yours, M. G. W.

A building association, with a capital of 300,000, has been organized in Millwaukee for the object of erecting small dwelling-houses for the working men of the city during the ensuing year. It is proposed to build 300 or 400 dwellings next spring and summer.

THE END OF THE SLAVE TRADE. There is one short passage in the Report of the Secretary of the Navy, just presented to Congress, which, probably overlooked amid the imposing details given in that document of the strength of our naval arm, and the movements of our squadrons in different parts of the world, merits, we think, particular notice. It is this:

"But one slaver has been fitted out on the southern coast of Africa within the past year, and she had been captured on the coast of Cuba with her cargo. It was the opinion of prominent officials at Loando, including the French Admiral on that station, *that the slave trade had expired, and that this blot on civilization had become at last a matter of history.*"

We also find the following in the Report:

"The vessels on the West India station were instructed to exercise vigilance in detecting slavers and preventing the slave trade, providing any lingerig remains of that nefarous traffic still existed. But no captures have been made, *and it is to be hoped this infamous trade is extinguished.*"

Previously to our late war, the slave trade in Cuba was carried on in great measure under cover of the United States flag; but the treaty made with the British Government by President Lincoln's Administration, for the more effectual suppression of the traffic by means of concerted action between the United States and England, renders it impossible for the Spaniards any longer to find impunity under the shelter of our flag; and the vigilance of cruisers, as the Secretary's report shows, has done the rest, the trade being already virtually extinct.

The price of tickets from Mansfield to Crestiline, on the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, is half a dollar, when purchased at the station; but the company order the collection of eighty-five cents when fare is paid on the cars. Some time ago Major Hank forgot to buy a ticket, and at first refused to pay the extra thirty-five cents; so the cars were stopped, and he was put off, although at the last moment he offered to pay the full demand. The major walked four miles to the next station; and has obtained a verdict of $400 against the company.

Last spring there were repeated and malicious butcheries of horses and cattle, in the vicinity of Danville, Maine. Six cattle and one horse were stabbed in one barn in one night, and this immediately followed up by several similar slaughters in the neighborhood. Again in September, a span belonging to a Mr. John Miller, were stabbed and killed under such circumstances as led to the arrest of Rufus L. Larrabee; he is now undergoing trial, and the testimony bears chiefly upon his malicious and revengeful disposition, and frequent threats which he has made towards Miller.

An extensive case of confiscation under the revenue laws came to light at Cleveland a few days ago. Between 40,000 and 50,000 pounds of steel carriage springs, of excellent quality, manufactured in Canada, were shipped to the United States in under valuation, only about half the original cost being placed upon them as their real value. The property, under the revenue laws, was thus forfeited to the Government, and cannot fall much short of 30,000 in value. It is stated that there is a large manufactory in Canada, through whose instrumentality it is proposed to undersell the American manufacturers by exporting in under valuation, and there is no doubt that this species of fraud to a large extent has been carried on for some time.

The Southern Methodist papers abound in reports of large accessions to the church in various parts of the country. The Nashville Advocate reports, from different circuits, 770; the Richmond Advocate nearly 1,000; the St. Louis Advocate 350; the New Orleans Advocate 175.

The estimated amount of Whiskey manufactured last year was over 60,000,000 gallons. This, at $2 per gallon, should have paid the Government 12,000,000, whereas it received about one-twentieth of that amount. It is urged upon the Government to adopt the French system,—seize the distileries and manufacture the liquor itself—as the only preventive against these frauds.

A Houston (Texas) paper publishes an extract from a private letter of Mrs. Jefferson Davis. Mrs. D. was answering a plain question her friend had asked her concerning her finances. "By using the strictest economy," wrote she, "we see our way clear for the next three months —beyond that all is dark! Having to maintain two households, my mother and children in Canada—my husband and younger children here (Fortress Monroe) my expenses are necessarily and unavoidably great, in spite of the rigid economy I exercise. You are aware that we have not one dollar save that contributed by our friends. You have been here and also know that not one dish goes upon Mr. Davis's table beyond the strictest prison fare that is not paid for out of our own purse. The papers assure the world that my husband is well taken care of, but they do not say it is his own people who thus keep him from starving, as he would inevitably, if, in his delicate health, he had only the food provided for him by the authorities."

PRODUCTION OF GOLD IN 1866.—The National Intelligencer gives the following estimate of the production of gold during the year 1866:—"The value of the 'bullion in lumps, bars, ingots or otherwise,' assessed during the fiscal year 1866, is given by the internal revenue returns at $81,389,541. Of this amount $70,032,805 was assessed in the Pacific and Rocky Mountain States and Territories, and the remainder chiefly in the Atlantic and seaboard cities. It is estimated that in the gold-producing regions of the country at least 25 per cent. of the production escaped assessment, and that of the gold assessed in the Atlantic seaboard cities one-half is of domestic production. In view of these facts, and taking the internal revenue as a basis of estimate, the production of gold in the fiscal year 1866 is calculated at $93,219,374. The production of gold in 1865 is estimated at $73,544,358, an increase in 1866 of $19,675,015.

We should give as we receive, cheerfully, quickly, and without hesitation; for there is no grace in a benefit that sticks to the fingers.

Within the last two weeks twenty-one persons in New York were burned to death.

The British Museum has lately received a series of specimens of the beautiful sponge called Venus's flower-basket (*Euplectella speciosum*). It is more like the work of some lace-maker than a congeries or republic of mute jelly-like animals; and the thread of which it is woven is so hard that it will scratch glass.

Wm. Jones, of Liberty Co., Ga., has made good progress in the tea culture. After several unsuccessful attempts, in March, 1860, he became the possessor of fifty flourishing young plants. These were set out in a loose, sandy soil, in rows five feet apart; they grew finely for two years, when the first leaves were picked, and from that time to the present the yield has been from five to six pounds yearly.

Herr von Dreyse, the inventor of the needle-gun, has been received by the King of Prussia, to whom he presented the pattern of a new weapon much more murderous.

"What sort of a sermon do you like?" said Dr. Rush to Robert Morris, "that kind of preaching which drives a man into the corner of his pew, and makes him think the devil is after him."

THE CRUTCH IN THE CORNER.

The following poem from the Rochester Democrat, is by John McIntosh, one of our rising poets:

"Why, Billy, your room is as cold as the hut
We had by the swamp and the river,
Where we lost our Major, and Tim, you knew,
And sixty more with the fever."
"Well Tom, old fellow, it's hard enough,
But the best at times knock under!
There's nary a stick of wood in the house
But that crutch in the corner yonder.

Sorry I listed? Don't ask me that, Tom.
If the flag was again in danger,
I'd aim a gun with this aching stump
At the foe, were he a brother or stranger.
But I say, ought a wound from a shot or shell,
Or a pistol bullet, by thunder!
Forever doom a poor fellow to want
With that ar in the corner yonder.

That crutch, old comrade, ought ever to be
A draft at sight on the nation
For honor, respect, and a friendly hand;
For clothing, and quarters and rations.
My wife? She begs at the Nugget House
Where the bigbugs live in splendor,
And brag o'er their wine of the fights that brought
Such as that in the corner yonder.

And Charlie? He goes to some place up town—
Some ticket-for-soup arrangement,
All well enough for a hungry boy:
But Tom, it's effect is estrangement.
I'd sooner have kicked the bucket twice o'er
By a shell or a round ten-pounder,
Than live such a life as I'm doing now,
With that ar in the corner yonder.

There's nary thing left for to pawn or sell:
And the winter has closed on labor;
This medal is all that is left me now,
With my pistols and trusty sabre;
And them, by the sunlight above us, Tom,
No power from my trust can sunder
Save that Power that releases me at last
From that ar in the corner yonder.

I can raise this arm that's left to me
To the blessed heavens above us,
And swear by the throne of the Father, there,
And the angels all, who love us,
That the hand I lost and the hand I have
Were never yet stained with plunder;
And for the love of the dear old flag I now
Use that ar in the corner yonder.

Do I ask too much, when I say, we boys,
Who lost for the nation's glory,
Now that the danger is passed and gone,
In comfort should tell our story?
How should we have fought when the mad shells screamed
And shivered our ranks, I wonder,
Had we known that our lot would have been to beg
With that ar in the corner yonder.

There's little we hear of now-a-days
But pardon and reconstuction,
While the sojer who fought and bled for both
Is left to his own destruction.
'Twould be well, I think, in these nipping times
For those Congress fellows to ponder,
And think of us boys who use such things
As that ar in the corner yonder."

The sum of $70,000 per week is paid to mechanics employed on the buildings now erecting in the place of those destroyed by the great fire in Portland, Maine.

The death of a remarkable rabbi of the Jewish Church of Germany is announced. M. Frank was a native of Wilna, born in the year 1758, so that he has attained his 108th year. At that advanced period of life he was without any of the infirmities of old age; his hearing was perfect, he read without spectacles, and took long walks up to the last week of his life.

PANIC IN A THEATRE. Towards the close of the performance Wednesday evening at the New American Theatre in Philadelphia, a portion of the scenery took fire, causing quite a panic among the audience. The fire was fortunately extinguished before much damage was done.

On a rainy winter-evening, a gentleman travelling in a cab found, on nearing his destination, that he had no money with him, so thinking he would try the honesty of the cabman, he called out, as he ran up the steps, "Wait a minute; I have dropped a sovereign in the cab, and will get a light and search for it." The words were barely spoken, when the cabman gave the horse a furious lash, and drove off at a violent rate. The gentleman, heartily amused at the result, called after him repeatedly, but never saw cab or driver again.

Died

In Woburn, Dec. 22, Duncan R. McIntosh, aged 36 years, 6 months.

In Winchester, Dec. 25, Levi Johnson, aged 83 years, 3 days.

In Reading, Dec. 22, Nathaniel E. Bacheldor, aged 55 years.

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HARD TIMES.

No business stirring, all things at a stand,
People complain they have no cash in hand.
"Dull times" re-echoes now from ev'ry quarter,
Even from father to the son and daughter.
Merchants cry out no money to be had,
Grocers say the times are very bad;
Mechanics work, but they can get no pay,
Beaux dress genteel, and ladies too are gay.
Cash very scarce—dancing twice a week—
Business dull—amusement still we seek.
Some live awhile—and then perhaps they fail,
While many run in debt and go to jail.
The females must have ribbons, gauze, and lace,
And paint besides, to smooth a wrinkled face;
The beaux will dress, go to the ball and play,
Sit up all night and lay in bed all day,
Brush up an empty pate, look smart and prim,
Follow each trifling fashion or odd whim.
Five shillings will buy a good fat goose,
While turkeys too are offered fit for use.
Are those bad times when persons will profess
To follow fashions and delight in dress?
No! times are good but people are to blame,
Who spend too much, and justly merit shame.

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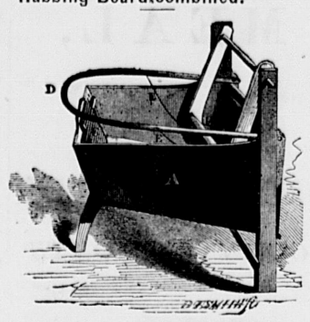
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NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.

Frank B. Dodge,
Watch Maker and Jeweller,

Would invite the attention of purchasers to his

LARGE

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WELL SELECTED STOCK

OF

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

JEWELRY,

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FANCY GOODS,

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,

&c., &c., &c.,

His stock consists of all kinds of

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,

CLOCKS,

FINE SILVER

AND

PLATED WARE,

☞ And a general assortment of ☜

Fancy Goods!

SUCH AS

ALBUMS,
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HDK'F and GLOVE BOXES,
DRESSING CASES,
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with a large variety of Lava, Parian and Etruscan

VASES,

COLOGNES, SMOKER SETS,
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Fine Table Cutlery,

RAZORS,

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and every article usually found in a

FIRST CLASS

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Every article warranted to be as represented.

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ALL KINDS OF

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OLD GOLD and SILVER taken in exchange.

Gold, Silver and Steel SPECTACLES, EYE-GLASS, &c.

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Frank B. Dodge,

OPPOSITE THE WOBURN BANK.

Woburn, Dec. 8, 1866.—3m

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Next to possessing a good name and knowledge, nothing is more desirable than

Health and Wealth

The first is real, the second imaginary; still it procures comfort, and often secures happiness.

Hence all desire it, and it is a satisfaction to a calm mind to know that all can have it, provided they take pains to husband the same:—

FIRST,—By living strictly within the law of nature.

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The Only Way to Cure Piles.

All ointments, liniments, and every other outward application are only time and money thrown away. The cause of the trouble is beyond their reach. If you will use two

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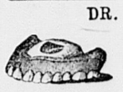
regularly every night, you will get rid of COSTIVENESS, which is the cheaf cause of PILES, either bleeding or blind. We want every person to try our Lozenges, and they will thank us for calling their attention to them. One after dinner or supper banishes every form of Indigestion. Two move the bowels once only, and never gripe, or require increase of dose, thus differing from all PILLS.

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Dr. L. having fifteen years successful practice in his profession, considers it a sufficient guarantee that all Dental operations entrusted to his care will be performed in the best manner.

SULPHURIC ETHER,

Administered when desired, for extracting teeth *without pain.* Charges moderate.

The Teeth! The Teeth!

Are worth saving. Call at 25 Winter Street, where all operations in Dentistry are performed in the best manner.

BEAUTIFUL GUM TEETH, from $10 to $25.

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain, by the use of Ether or Nitrous Oxyd. All our work warranted and finished in workmanlike manner.

ROGERS & STONE, 25 Winter St., Room No. 10,
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DENTIST

Would respectfully inform his friends and patrons that he

HAS REMOVED TO

No. 132 Court St., Boston,

(only 2 doors from his former place),

Where he will continue the practice of his profession as a Dentist in all its branches.

All work performed in his office is warranted to be *first class*, and all improvements in the science of Dentistry will be placed at the command of his customers without delay.

Nitrous Oxyd, or Laughing Gas, and Ether, administered when required.

N. B.—A journeyman formerly employed by me, and recently discharged, has issued a circular giving the impression, to persons not knowing the facts, that he was a former partner of mine. This is to give notice that such was not the case, and that I shall try by all *honorable* means to retain the patronage justly belonging to me, and use no *dishonorable* means to deprive others of their rights. Therefore, all work which has been commenced at my office, I shall expect will be completed there, regardless of the solicitations or misrepresentations of this party.

J. M. T.
Boston, Sept. 1, 1866. sep29—6m

JOHN C. OSGOOD,
DEALER IN
Trimmings & Thread Store Goods,
No. 33 Winter St., Boston.

The subscriber most respectfully informs his customers and the public in general, that he has just received and opened a very extensive assortment of

NEW GOODS,

Adapted to Fall and Winter Trade, and which he will dispose of at the

Cheapest Market Prices.

JOHN C. OSGOOD.
oct20—3m

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DEPUTY SHERIFF FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.
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CHILDREN'S HOSIERY,

HOSIERY, GLOVES,

AND

UNDER GARMENTS.

Dayton & Litchfield,

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Don't fail to examine this stock before buying.

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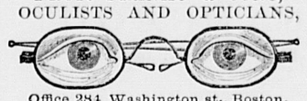
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NEWLY PATENTED SPECTACLES—Patent issued April 23, 1863; one pair suits the eye perfectly from 15 to 25 years. These spectacles are scientifically adjusted to vision, (by Professor Franks, sole patentee, Physician, Oculist and Optician of the New York Eye Hospital and the Eye Infirmary,) from an examination of the eye alone, at his office, 284 Washington st., Boston.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR, and all chronic, and obscure disorders, to which the human system is liable, speedily and radically cured, on the most approved and scientific principles of treatment by Prof. EDW. S. FRANKS, who has had more than 30 years experience on the medical treatment of these diseases, in his private practice and in the Hospitals of Europe and America.

REFERENCES—Hon. Jas. Y. Smith, Governor of Rhode Island; Hon. J. A. Gilmore, Governor of New Hampshire; Hon. H. Seymour, ex-Governor of Connecticut; Hon. Millard Fillmore, ex-President of the U. S.; the Physicians of the New York Eye Infirmary and Eye Hospital; the Physicians of Yale and Buffalo Medical Colleges. jan20—1y

ATTENTION, GENTLEMEN!

WHY will you not make a SURE provision for YOURSELVES in old age, or your FAMILIES in case of your death, by getting your

LIVES INSURED

in the

Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co.,

one of the LARGEST, BEST, and most ECONOMICAL in the U. S. (see Ins. Commissioner's Report.) Insurance payable to families *free* from all *claims of creditors.* Annual dividend of *50* PER CENT. Total assets, Jan 1, 1866, *$9,049,539.60.*

SPARROW HORTON, Agt, for Woburn & vicinity, at Woburn Bookstore.

feb24—1y

Best and Cheapest Insurance!

THE ORIGINAL

TRAVELERS INSURANCE CO.,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.,

INSURES AGAINST

ALL ACCIDENTS.

ALSO AGAINST

Loss of Life from Any Cause,

Whether Disease or Accident,

WITH COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL INJURIES!

Paid up Capital, $500,000,

With a Large Surplus.

LIFE AND ACCIDENT Policies (combined) insure against *loss of life from any cause*, whether disease or accident, with compensation for *disabling* personal injuries. All approved forms of Life Policies written, either with or without compensation, as the applicant prefers. Rates of premium *very low.* The combined policy, it is believed, offers the best and cheapest insurance extant.

GENERAL ACCIDENT Policies insure against all casualties except disease, paying any sum from $1,000 to $10,000 in case of fatal accident, or $5 to $50 per week for disabling injuries, and cost but a trifling sum. OVER SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND Policies have been written within two years by the TRAVELERS OF HARTFORD, and *three thousand losses paid.*

$164,500 FOR LESS THAN $1,000

was realized to the families of fifty-one policy-holders who lost their lives by accident within the past two years.

☞ General Accident Policies written by the Company's Agents, without delay. No Medical examination required. Life Policies, or combined Life and Accident Policies are all written at the Home Office.

J. G. BATTERSON, Pres't.
RODNEY DENNIS, Sec'y.
S. WATSON DREW, Surgeon.
B. T. H. PORTER, AGENT.
oct 6—3m

CENTRAL HOUSE

Livery, Hack, and Boarding STABLE,

MAIN STREET, WOBURN.

G. F. JONES, Proprietor.
feb3—1y

Puff Boxes,

IN DIFFERENT STYLES,

CAN BE FOUND

AT

Grosvenor & Co.'s

DRUG STORE.

NEW Meat & Vegetable MARKET.

EDW. O. SOLES

Would announce to the inhabitants of Woburn that he has opened a new

Meat and Vegetable Market
On MAIN STREET,
WOBURN CENTER,
First door south of Woburn Bookstore,

which has been fitted up in the best possible manner, where he will keep constantly on hand a large and varied assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEATS,
VEGETABLES and FRUITS,
☞ IN THEIR SEASONS, ☜
POULTRY,
DRIED & SMOKED MEATS
AND
HOME-MADE SAUSAGES,
of the very best quality.
GAME FURNISHED TO ORDER.

His new store is the best and largest in town, and he hopes by always supplying the *best* in his line, to secure a liberal share of patronage.

Goods delivered free of charge.

E. O. SOLES.
Woburn, Jan. 6, 1866.

SPRINGFIELD FIRE & MARINE INS. CO.

NOTWITHSTANDING the losses at Portland Great Fire, this company is still SOUND, VIGOROUS and STRONG.

STATEMENT, SEPT. 1st, 1866.

Capital Stock,	$500,000.00
Surplus,	190,171.74
Assets,	$690,171.74

J. N. DUNHAM, Secretary. EDMUND FREEMAN, Treasurer.

SPARROW HORTON,
AGENT FOR WOBURN AND VICINITY.
nov3

DENTAL NOTICE.

Limitation Four Months.

DR. S. STOCKING, Dental Surgeon, No. 19 TREMONT ROW, BOSTON, in consideration of the unusual dullness of the present season, proposes to his old patients and others needing dental operations, a reduction of his fees to the old standard before the war, except where Gold or Platina Plate is used. This liberal arrangement for the next four months, will bring the price of setting and filling teeth within the reach of all, so that those who can raise the small sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents, can have in return a full set of teeth on rubber, with false gums, that will vie with Nature herself for beauty, adaptation and usefulness. dec 1

Wilson's Electric Gas Lighter Co.

OLIVER W. ROGERS,

GENERAL MANAGER,
154 Tremont Street,
BOSTON.

J. K. SIMPSON, Constructing Engineer,
246 West 25th Street,
NEW YORK.
dec. 1

Dissolution of Copartnership.

The Copartnership heretofore existing under the style of F. C. TAYLOR & Co., is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. MR. HENCHMAN is alone authorized to settle accounts for and against the late firm.

F. C. TAYLOR,
C. T. HENCHMAN.

Woburn, Nov. 28, 1866.

The undersigned will continue the grain business at the old stand of F. C. TAYLOR & Co., first door south of the Central House, where we shall ever be happy to see the old patrons of the store, and by using the greatest care in selecting our stock, and offering it at the lowest prices, shall hope to merit the patronage of the public generally.

C. T. HENCHMAN & Co.

Woburn, Dec. 1.—1m

Piano Fortes for Sale,

WITH the privilege of selecting from several different ware-rooms in Boston.

Also, old Pianos taken in exchange for new.

Please address, or apply to

CEPHAS CHURCH, Winchester.
oct13—6m

RHUMATISM, GOUT, NEURALGIA

BEFORE. AFTER.





After suffering **20 Years** with this terrible disease, I have found a perfect cure, and that every body may have the benefit of my experience, I have had a lot of the medicine prepared, and will furnish to any one a guarantee a cure, without the least injury to the constitution. Several hundred who have taken this medicine pronounce it the most wonderful cure ever discovered.

Liberal discount to agents, who are wanted all over the country.

WALTER BRYENT, 15 School st., Boston.

P. S.—Several Physicians now recommend it.
july21—6m

COAL, WOOD, &C.



THE Subscriber informs the inhabitants of Woburn and vicinity, that he has removed his Counting Room to the yard formerly occupied by the Haywards, just below the Railroad Depot, where he will continue the Coal Business, in all its branches, as heretofore. He trusts, by giving strict attention to business, and always keeping on hand the different kinds of COAL, WOOD, &c., to receive that generous share of public patronage which has heretofore been accorded to him.

LIME, HAIR AND CEMENT
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
JOS. B. McDONALD.
Woburn Jan. 7, 1865.

A NEW HARNESS AND GIG SADDLE SHOP,

IN WOBURN,
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Coat and Pant Maker Wanted,

Immediately.

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JOHN L. PARKER, Agent,
WOBURN, MASS.
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CHARLES A. SMITH,
DEALER IN
American and Foreign
DRY GOODS,
Bank Block, - - Woburn

SAMUEL W. ABBOTT, M. D.
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON,
PLEASANT ST., OPPOSITE THE COMMON,
Woburn, Mass.
Woburn, July 14, 1866.—6m*

EPHRAIM CUTTER, M. D.,
IN WOBURN,
AFTERNOONS AND EVENINGS.
Woburn, Jan. 27, 1866.

S. WATSON DREW, M. D.,
Physician & Surgeon,
PLEASANT ST., . . WOBURN,
1st DOOR WEST OF TOWN HALL,
(The same house he occupied in 1844.)
Office hours from 7 to 9, A.M., and from 1 to 2, P.M.
Woburn, Dec. 16, 1865.—1y

GEORGE O. DALTON, M. D.
OFFICE:
No. 2 Wade's Block, Main Street.
Residence, No. 3 Canal St.,
WOBURN CENTER,

E. P. WHITE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Metals, and Plumbers' Materials,
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E. P. WHITE. C. T. HAMBLEN.

OFFER FOR SALE:

Banca, Straits, Eng. and Bar Tin,	Antimony, Sheet Zinc, Pig Lead, Spelter,
Plumbers' and Tinners' Solder,	Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, and Bar Lead,
Copper Bath Tubs,	Wellington & Carr's Cistern Water Closets,
Copper Boilers,	Hoppers, Iron Sinks,
Iron Pipe & Fittings,	Plumbers' Earthen and
Iron, Copper and Brass Pumps,	Iron Ware generally,

TOGETHER WITH
Plumbers' and Tinmens' Brass Goods.
Orders received for
Tinned Lined Lead Pipe,
and for the
ARCHIMEDIAN VENTILATION CO.
☞ Discount to the trade on Ventilators.
aug25—6m

Burning Fluid,

40 Cents per Gallon.

THE undersigned will sell a superior article of BURNING FLUID, made expressly for packed lamps, for 40 cents per gallon.

B. F. HEBARD & SON,
140 Broad street, Boston, Mass.
oct6—3m

BOSTON AND LOWELL

And Nashua & Lowell, Wilton, Stony Brook, Lowell & Lawrence, and Salem & Lowell Railroads.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, Oct. 15, 1866, trains will leave BOSTON for—

Upper Railroads, 7.00, 8.00 a m, 12.00, 5.00 p m.
Concord and Manchester, 7, 8 a.m., 12.00 m, 2.30 5.00 p. m.
Wilton, Milford, Danforth's Corner, S. Merrimack 7.00 a.m. 12,00, 5.00, p. m.
Nashua, 7.00, 8.30 am, 12 m, 2.30, 5.00 p m.
Tyngsboro', No. Chelmsford 7.00 a. m, 12.00, 2.30, 5.00 p m.
Groton Junction 10.00 a.m., 2.30 p. m.
Lowell, 7, 8?, 10.00 am, 12.00 m, 2.30, 4, 5.00, p .m.
North Billerica, Billerica & Wilmington, 7.00, 10, a m, 2.30, 5.00, p. m.
S. Wilmington, N. Woburn, 10 a m, 4.00, p m.
Woburn W. S., 7.00, 10.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.00 p m.
E Woburn, 7.00, 10.00 am, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30, p m.
Winchester, 6.45, 7.00, 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 12.15, 2.30, 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* pm.
West Medford, 6.45, 10, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
College Hill 6.45, 10.00, 11.30 a.m., 3, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30, 9.30* p. m.
A Theatre Train will leave Boston for Woburn Center, Stoneham, Lowell and Way Stations, on Wednesdays, at 11.30, p. m.
The 10.00 am. Train from Boston stops at Milk Row, Somerville Centre, and College Hill Stations, to take passengers for Stations above Woburn W. Place.

TRAINS FOR BOSTON LEAVE.

Wilton at 6.15, 11.00 am, 3.30 p m.
Milford 6.20, 11.05, a. m. 3.50 p m.
Amherst, 6.30, 11.13, a m, 4.00 p m.
South Merrimack, 6.35, 11.21 a m, 4.15 p m.
Nashua at 7.00, 8.50, 11.45, a m, 5.00, 9.00† p m.
Tyngsboro' 7.15, 9.10, 11.57 a m., 5.12 pm.
North Chelmsford, 7.22, 8.30, a.m. 12.06, 5.19 p m.
Groton Junction, 8.00 a m, 12.45 p m.
Lowell 7, 7.30*, 9.30, a m, 12.15*, 2.15, 5.30*, 9.30† p. m.
North Billerica 7.09, 9.39 a m, 9.22, 5.41, p m.
Billerica 7.16, 9 46 a m, 2.29, 5.47 p m.
Wilmington at 7.26, 9.55 a m, 2.39, 5.55, p m.
South Wilmington 7.31 a m, 2.43 p m.
North Woburn 7.34 a m, 2.45 p m.
Woburn W. Place 7.39, am, 2.53, 6.04 pm.
East Woburn at 6.00, 7.40, 9.00, 10.15 am, 1.00, 2.45, 5.00, 6.30 p. m.
Winchester at 6.05, 7.05, 7.40, 9.00, 10.24 a m, 1.20, 3.00, 5.05, 6.35, 8.20, p m.
West Medford at 6.15, 7.15, 7.52, 9.15, 10 30 am, 1.30, 3.07, 5.15, 6.50, 8.25 p m.
College Hill 6.19, 7.19, 9.19 a.m., 1.33, 3.10, 5.19, 6.55, 8 28 p. m.

*On arrival of trains from Nashua.
†Northern Depot.

The 7.00 A. M., and 2 15 P. M., Trains from Lowell stop at College Hill, Somerville Centre, and Milk Row Stations, to leave passengers from Stations above Woburn W. Place.

Woburn Branch.

Trains for Woburn Centre, leave Boston 7, 11.30, a. m., 12.15, 3, 4, 5.15, 6.30, 7.30 p. m.

Trains leave Woburn Centre for Boston 6.00, 7.00, 7.40, 9 a m, 1.15, 5.00, 6.40, 8

*Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and at 10.00, p. m.

†Wednesdays at 10.15 p m.

Stoneham Branch.

The trains on this Road will leave (from Lowell Railroad Depot) for Stoneham at 8.00, A M, 12.15, 3, 5.15, 6.30 P M.

Leave Stoneham for Boston, at 5.52, and 8.52, 10.15, A M, 1.00, 4.52, and 6.30, P M.

† A train will leave Boston for Stoneham on Wednesdays at 11.30, p. m., and on Saturdays at 10.00, p. m.

¶ A train will leave Stoneham for Boston on Wednesdays at 10.05, and Saturdays at 8.05, p.m.

J. B. WINSLOW, Superintendent.
B. L. and N. & L. R. R.

NOTICE.

TO FEMALES IN DELICATE HEALTH

DR. DOW, Physician and Surgeon, No 7 ENDICOTT ST., BOSTON, is consulted daily for all diseases incident to the female system. Prolapsis Uteri or Flour Albus, Suppression, and other menstrual derangements, are all treated on new pathological principles, and speedy relief guaranteed in a very few days. So invariably certain is this new mode of treatment, that the most obstinate complaints yield under it, and the afflicted person soon rejoices in perfect health.

Dr. Dow has no doubt had greater experience in the cure of the diseases of women than any other physician in Boston.

Boarding accommodations for patients who may wish to stay in Boston a few days under his treatment.

Dr. Dow, since 1845, having confined his whole attention to an office practice for the cure of Private diseases and Female Complaints, acknowledges no superior in the United States.

N. B. All letters must contain one dollar, or they will not be answered.

Office hours from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.
Boston, July 28, '66. 1y